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SCHOOL NOTES

Interesting Items by the County Superintendent.

To the pupils of Fulton County schools: Don't forget that next week we are asked to help build a new home for Kentucky's orphan children. This home is for the most unfortunate children, the ones who have no claim upon church denominations or lodges.

We have many calls for money but this is an appeal that will surely reach all types of people, the generous who are always ready to help unfortunate babies—whether French, Syrian or Chinese—and those who believe only in home missions, for there are children from this county in the present home.

Since its organization the Kentucky Children's Home Society has aided more than 8,000 children, and as fast as possible places them with reliable foster parents to be reared under the supervision of the Society.

At the present time the Society owns half of a city block. There are about two hundred children at the Home. The play grounds are too small, the school rooms, dining room and dormitories are crowded and hospital facilities are inadequate. Imagine thirty boys sleeping in crowded quarters and having a playground 30 x 40 feet. There are many babies there and these little fellows who have started life handicapped surely deserve our real sympathy which can be best shown by our assistance in giving them the nearest substitute for a real home.

Fulton county is asked for \$2000 to be raised by the school children. We are sure the children will do their part if they have the co-operation and help of the grown-ups.

It has been suggested that each teacher appoint a committee of larger pupils to collect money at some specified time next week.

Inez Luten, Superintendent.

"WETS" GIVE UP

Prohibition Act Expected to Become Effective Oct. 28.

While no intimation has been given as to the attitude of the present opponents of prohibition and the prohibition enforcement bill, they have practically abandoned any hope of its veto by Mr. Wilson. Present indications are that the enforcement measures will become the law of the land on October 28, ten days after its receipt at the White House, without the signature of the President.

The measure is now in the hands of the Attorney General, to whom it was sent for scrutiny as to its constitutionality, but this is considered in this instance a mere formality, as the measure was submitted to Mr. Palmer before being introduced into Congress, and it was said that he upholds the judiciary committees as one of the most mooted questions—the definition of intoxicating liquor as any beverage containing more than one-half of 1 per cent of alcohol.

PECANS ARE PLENTIFUL

The Fulton county pecan crop is bountiful this year and owners of groves will reap a rich harvest. These nuts, which formerly sold here at around 10c a pound, are now being contracted for at 60c a pound. The yield of one good tree will bring as much as \$40 to \$50.

Incidentally, pecan hunters, who go in to the woods expecting to gather where they choose, will be disappointed. Owners are keeping a close watch on the groves.

The Fulton county grown pecan has a wide reputation for its excellent quality; in fact, there is none better.

SENT TO HOPKINSVILLE

Mrs. Esther Malone, wife of Bill Malone, was tried here Tuesday as to the condition of her mind and adjudged insane. She was specifically charged with "a peculiar desire to associate with males, and while confined to the county poor farm came near killing her child." She looked the part of an underworld wreck—a pathetic and wretched remnant of womanhood. She was ordered sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville.

CROW RAINED OUT

Hon. Robt. Crow, speaker of the Kentucky House, who was billed to speak here Tuesday afternoon, was unable to reach Hickman on account of bad roads, resulting from Monday night's rain. Mr. Crow is a speaker of wide reputation and many people here were keenly disappointed in his failure to get here.

STOPPED THE SALE

The auction sale of horses Saturday by Bonduant & Carpenter was very unsatisfactory to the owners and the sale was called off after a few head had been sold. They had a car load of Montana stock to sell but the bids were away too low. Col. Bob Robertson, of Union City, was crying the sale.

We are the home of the Mayfield Woolen Mill pants—a guaranteed pant at \$2.75. Sullivan Bros.

MOST DECORATED

Corp. Graves, of Hickman, Wears Many Badges of Honor.

Corp. Phillip Graves, son of Mrs. Georgia Graves, who is spending his furlough with home folks, is doubtless the most decorated and most honored of Fulton county soldiers.

Young Graves is a corporal in Co. A, 15th Infantry, First Division. He has been in service about three years. He left the United States June 14, 1917 and returned Sept. 3, 1919, going over with the first division. His division, of course, saw real service all through the campaign, being in the battles of Aisne-Marne, St. Mihiel, Meuse and Argonne Wood. He bears the scars of two wounds—a piece of shell in the neck and a bullet in the left arm—but has fully recovered.

Corp. Graves wears the Croix de Guerre—a decoration and personal citation for bravery awarded by the Field Marshal of France; also a regimental decoration from France. One citation bears date of "Sellers, Germany, June 1." He also wears four service stripes—and is one of only 500 men in the United States who has them. In addition to these he wears a Victory Medal and the bar of a crack marksman.

His term of enlistment will expire Nov. 10, but at present he is stationed at Camp Taylor. Phillip says he has had plenty of army life for the present and will return home as soon as released from service. Few, if any, other Fulton county boys have seen as much service as Corp. Graves. He was in France during the "dark days," was in the bloodiest battles and fought under all kinds of conditions. Incidentally, he visited France, Belgium, Germany, Luxembourg, England and possibly other states of Europe.

DEEDS RECORDED

Land Transactions as Shown by the Records of Fulton County.

V. H. Adams and J. W. Dunham to Lynn Murry, lot in Rice Ad. Fulton, \$1000.

Raymer Williams to Joe Morris, six acres land "east of old Boyer place", \$700.

Wm. Stoker to Robert E. Stoker, lot 18 East Hickman, old Dora Smith place, \$1, etc.

Mrs. Margarette Bard to E. W. Stevenson, lots 10-11 in Norman Ad. Fulton, \$4000.

C. T. Bondurant et al. to J. E. Glidewell, lots 200-210-211-212 in block 7, in East Hickman, known as D. F. Morgan place, \$2500.

J. F. Glidewell to John Orear, lot in East Hickman on Holly street, \$1000.

W. W. Morris and Jno. E. Melton to Wayne Thomas, lots adjoining I. C. right-of-way in Fulton, \$250.

E. B. Jones to B. P. Thomason, exchange of lots in Cayce for lots in Industrial League, valued at \$1000.

H. R. Rogers to Mrs. Suley E. Stanford, 80 acres in upper bottom east of Goose Pond, \$7000.

W. K. Hall to Cleveland Alexander, lots in Fulton, \$900.

Dean McDade to his mother, Mrs. Susan F. McDade, 27 1-2 acres, love and affection.

H. A. Campbell and L. M. Ballow to Mrs. Bettle Williams, lot 3 in division of Duncan Campbell estate, \$1.

J. L. Tolson to A. H. Kemp, 9 acres on Dyersburg road, \$800.

"OIL" LOTS SELLING FAST

J. W. Roney, looking after the business management of the Roney, Mitchell & Bruer sale of lots in their oil project in the Reelfoot region, tells us that the lots are selling like "hot cakes." These 100-square-foot lots go at \$10 each and the purchaser participates in any production from a well which the company guarantees to put down on its holdings. It is such an attractive inducement to "take a shot on oil" that every mail brings the company orders for lots, from purchasers all over the country. There is little doubt that the entire layout will be sold in a short time, after which the drill will start.

A similar project was promoted in Lake county, in which hundred foot square lots were sold at \$100 each, and from an oil standpoint, not near so good as the offering of the Hickman company.

Although the State Fire Marshal has condemned some old shacks and fire-traps in Hickman, it is noticeable that they still stand, weathering the storm of condemnation and in defiance of all civic pride. Here's hoping the next city administration co-operates with the state in ridding the town of these eyesores.

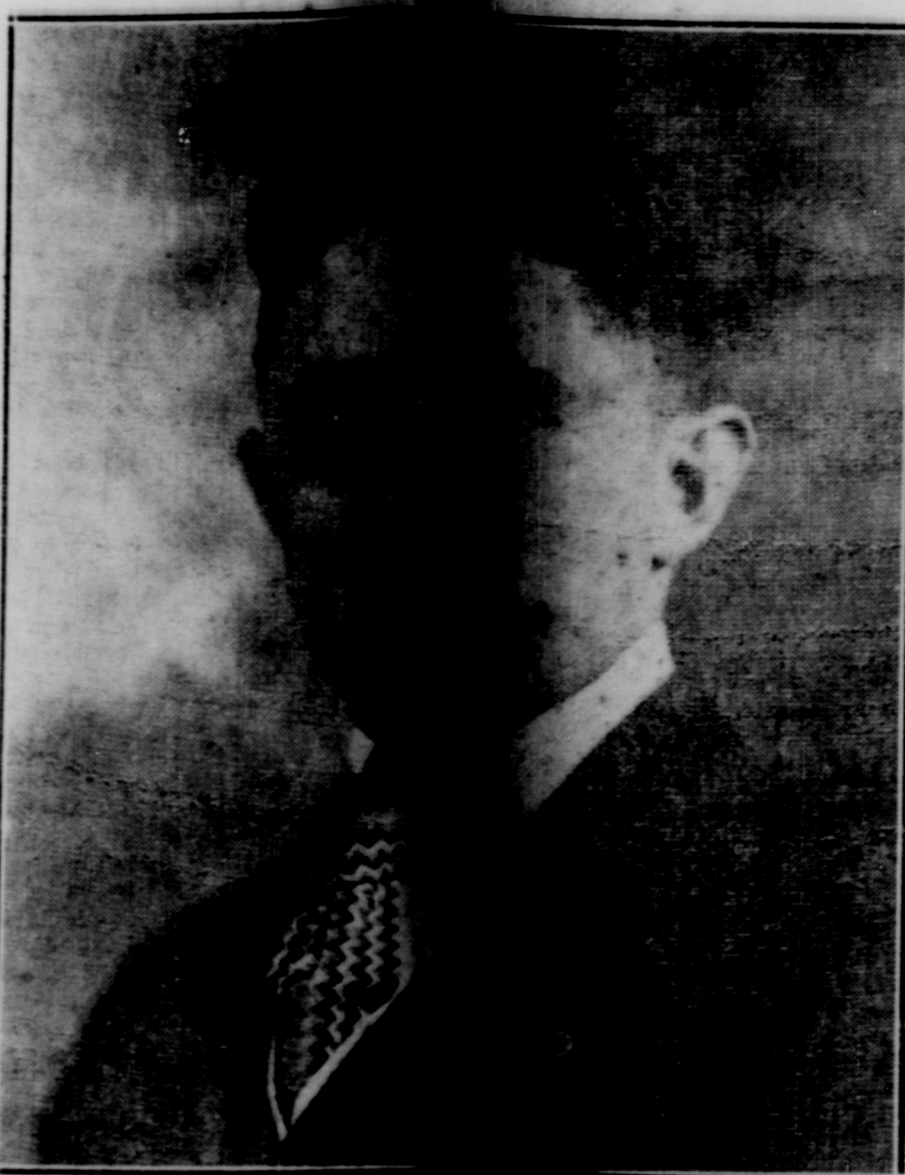
J. T. Willey, of Fulton, and Miss Clara Richmond, formerly of that city but now of Henderson, Ky., were married at the latter place Sunday. They will make their home at Fulton.

Mrs. Chas. Werner left yesterday for Centerville, Ill., to spend a week with her children, J. H. Werner and Mrs. H. J. Pollock.

There's a \$2500 clock on the court house that's worth about 30c to the business part of town, being obscured by trees.

Beckham Bard, of Fulton, who disappeared in St. Louis last week, has been found. He enlisted in the navy.

WILL RETIRE FROM RETAIL BUSINESS



Elsewhere in this issue will be found a card from D. P. Leibovitz, one of Hickman's leading retail merchants, in which he states that he has decided to retire from local mercantile circles and become associated with his three brothers in the manufacturing business. "The Leibovitz brothers will embark in the manufacture of men's pants, with their plant located at Louisville. The announcement of Mr. Leibovitz's business plans comes as a big surprise to his many friends here. No finer fellow have—and all will wish him success in his new undertaking. His brothers, all well known here, are also clever businessmen, and have had wide experience as salesmen in the line which will jointly engage in. It is with regret that we learn that we are losing Mr. Leibovitz as a citizen and as a man of Hickman. He is Ex-Ruler of the local Elks' lodge, a member of the city commission, a prominent Mason, a wide-awake, a man and a gentle, popular, and fellow."

CUT OFF SUPPLY

Fulton Merchant Cuts Flour Prices and Wholesaler Butts In.

In a letter from a Fulton merchant addressed to the Governor and referred to the Kentucky Cost of Living Commission, it is brought out that the dealers' efforts to assist the commission by selling at a low price resulted in a wholesaler refusing to sell him brands of flour dealt in by that wholesaler.

The name of the wholesaler is not given in the letter, and the commission withholds the name of the Fulton man. The letter in part is as follows:

"To the Governor of Kentucky—I see you are investigating the high cost of living. I was handling a certain company's flour. Because I sold it too cheaply he took it away—would not sell any more to me. The same man is selling down in Mississippi. He was selling me flour for \$11.95 and I got \$12.40; his self-rising flour at \$11.35 and I got \$12; his peerless at \$10.95 and I got \$11.60, while others were getting 10 to 20 cents on the barrel. It was going too cheap to suit him. He cut me out."

The commission announces that it is investigating.

STEALS CLOTHES OFF LINE

Last Friday night a thief stole nearly all the clothes off a line at the residence of Homer Provow, in West Hickman. Whoever it was knew what they wanted as all the baby's clothes were stolen, including stockings and underwear, while some clothes for larger children were left on the line. Some of Homer's clothes were also taken, as well as some of Mrs. Provow's.

AUTOMOBILE BURNS

An Overland automobile owned by Erwin Bard was totally destroyed by fire Monday. The accident happened at the Beulah Switch railroad crossing two miles north of Fulton, and is supposed to have been caused by a short circuit or back fire from the engine.

Never have we been so well supplied with heavy merchandise to keep you warm and dry. Prices always right at Sullivan Bros.

FIX SUGAR PRICE

Gov't. Says Refiners Cannot Charge More Than 10c a Pound.

Steps to prevent an abnormal increase in the price of sugar because of the existing shortage were taken Tuesday by the Department of Justice.

Attorney General Palmer notified beet sugar refiners who have been withholding their products from the market until the price situation became more stabilized that the United States sugar equalization board had determined 10 cents was a fair price to be charged the wholesaler and that any charge in excess of that amount would be regarded as in violation of the food control act.

Refiners were asked to telegraph their concurrence in this price, which would mean they would put their supply on the market immediately, thereby relieving the present stringency.

The price to the wholesaler heretofore has been nine cents, so that the new price means an increase of one cent a pound. Retailers have been allowed to charge 11 cents a pound for controlled sugar under old prices. While the Department of Justice and the sugar board did not state what the new retail price would be, it was assumed that the increase would not be greater than the wholesale advance.

The shortage in Hickman has been acute for the past two weeks. Many families have had no sugar for a week or more, and the retail price here runs as high as 17 1-2 cents, with a limit of two pounds to a customer. The merchants say they are paying 14 cents for sugar in St. Louis and then are unable to secure more than one or two bags at a time; while some have had no sugar in stock in the past two weeks. The Wilson-Hale Wholesale Grocery, of this city, received a car of sugar yesterday, but this will be parceled out in very limited quantities and will not make a dent in the existing shortage.

59c FOR COTTON

Local Firm Gets Highest Price Ever Paid for Fulton County Cotton.

W. A. Johnston, member of the firm of the Johnston Land Co., Fulton Co. planters, showed a sales ticket from a Memphis commission house, where they had sold two bales for them at 59 cents a pound—on Friday's market. At that time the spot quotations were slightly under 53 cents, indicating that cotton of the Folk variety.

This is no doubt the highest price ever paid for Fulton county cotton. The two bales brought \$584.40—to say nothing of the seed.

With the largest crop we've had in this county in the past five years and prices up, planters and their co-workers should enjoy real prosperity this season.

PROTESTS RAISE

Evergreen Camp Adopts Resolutions; Asks State Meeting.

Evergreen Camp of the W. O. W., at Fulton, has taken the lead in protesting against the recent raise of rates in the order. The raise was decided on by the national convention recently held in Chicago and has aroused strong protests all over the country. The local camp is getting in touch with all the camps of the state and will call a general meeting for next Friday, Oct. 24. Resolutions adopted in the meeting there characterize the proposed raise as "illegal and unjustifiable." The Evergreen Camp has an active membership of 386, and is one of the strongest camps in the state.

Dr. J. M. Hubbard, Bob Tyler, Jim Mayes, Judge Will Amberg, Henry Helm and other local "nobles of the mystic shrine", are busy laying plans for escorting a class of a dozen or so of Hickman novices to Louisville on the 27th of the coming month to have them tread the hot sands of Shrinism. Kosair Temple, the big Shrine den at Louisville, announces a ceremonial de luxe for Thanksgiving day. Practically all the red fez bunch at Hickman plans to go and will probably be picked up by a Shriners' special train at Fulton.

The city campaign is already warm and in the remaining eleven days indications are that it will grow hot. There are three candidates for mayor, eleven for councilmen and two for chief of police. The dear voter gets button-holed at every turn—and gets an occasional el stinko cigar. Things will change after Nov. 4th.

One of our readers wants to know what's become of the several thousand dollars, donated to put a second story on the new high school building? Don't know, reader; but that bunch of money is capable of pulling down several dollars per annum interest—and maybe you'll get a dividend later on.

Mrs. B. C. Stubbs, Miss Birdie May Rice and Mrs. Dee L. McNeill are spending the week in Memphis, the guests of Miss Dora McNeill.

O. B. Kerlin, of Clinton, spent Tuesday in Hickman.

CANDY

By the hardest, we have at last received a big shipment of high class candies.

You are certainly familiar with the existing sugar shortage, which also effects the candy-makers, and means a scarcity of candy later on—especially about Christmas time, when you will want it most. We believe it would be advisable to buy your holiday supply now and lay it away.

In our shipment this week we received

CHOCOLATE DIPPED NOUGATS
DIPPED MARSHMELLOWS
PLAIN MASHMELLOWS
CHOCOLATE DIPPED CARAMELS
CHOCOLATE CHIPS
CHUSHED NUT CREAMS
CHOCOLATE PEANUT CRISPS
PINEAPPLE CREAMS
VANILLA CREAMS
RASPBERRY CREAMS
ORANGE CREAMS
MAPLE CREAMS
WHIPPED CREAMS
COCOANUT CREAMS
MIXED CANDIES
BARBERPOLE STICK

We carry the biggest line of candy in Hickman and prices are as low as anyone. See our windows.

New Arrivals This Week

NEW DATES, FIGS, EATING APPLES, ORANGES, GRAPE FRUIT, COCANUTS, CELERY, CRANBERRIES, FRESH OYSTERS, NEW PACKAGE AND BULK CAKES.

Ellison Grocery & Hdw. Co.

UNITED STATES R. R. ADMINISTRATION DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILROADS COOPERATIVE MARKETING SERVICE

THE MARKETING DIVISION OF THE TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT OF THE NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD AND ASSOCIATED LINES WILL FURNISH TO PERSONS DESIRING TO PURCHASE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE OWNERS OF THE FOLLOWING:

FOR SALE

Alfalfa, Alsike clover, Barley, Burr clover, Crimson clover, Red clover, Sapling clover, Sweet clover, White clover, Orchard, Red Top, Blue grass, Rape, Timothy, Turnip and Vetch seed; Sundried, cooking and eating apples; Baskets; Crates; Coops; Honey Bees; Bran; Milling and Ear corn; Cotton gin complete; Mixed feeds; Angora goats; Timothy, Clover, Alfalfa, Red Top, Bean, Millet and mixed hays; Grade horses; Percheron stallions; Inoculation cultures for Legumes; Jacks, registered and grade; Agricultural limestone; Cotton seed; Velvet bean and Peanut meal; Sorghum molasses; Mules; Nursery stock of all kinds; Winter Turf, Red and Fulghum oaks; Raw ground phosphate rock; Chesnut poles; Ancona, Bantam, Cornish, Leghorn, Rhode Island Red poultry; Turkeys; Rice bran and polish; Abruzzi and other rye; Cotswold, Dorset, Grade, Hampshire, Shropshire and Southdown sheep; Shorts; Straw, Sweet potatoes; Tanflage; Leaps, Fulcaster, Golden Chaff, Red, Harper, Miracle, Fultz, Marvelous seed wheat.

COOPERATIVE AUCTION SALES.

Attention is called to the Tennessee Beef Breeder's sales, Nashville, on October 28th, 29th, 30th and 31st.

SHORTHORNS, October 28th, Union Stock Yards.

ANGUS, October 29th, Woodlawn Farms.

ANGUS, October 30th, Union Stock Yards.

HEREFORDS, October 31st, Union Stock Yards.

Woodland Farms has consigned 14 head of good Angus cattle in the Angus sale October 30th, the day following the Woodlawn Farm sale.

To Producers will be furnished on application the names and addresses of persons by whom the following commodities are

WANTED

Sundried, Cooking and Eating apples; Barley, Cane, Crimson clover; Herds grass, Blue grass, Orchard grass, Mammoth clover, Millet, Vetch, Oats, Wheat, Rape and Rye seed; Canned corn, Canned tomatoes; Dairy Products; Stable Manure; Dried fruit; Hominy; Honey; Gang plow; Harrow; Steam tractor, Papee ensilage cutter; Gasoline and Oil engine; Kraut, Cotton seed and Peanut meal; Sorghum molasses, Peach seed; Red and White peanuts; Fence posts; Irish and Sweet potatoes; Poultry and Eggs for market; Leghorn, Rhode Island Red, Sussex, Wyandotte, Plymouth, Shropshire, Hampshire, Southdown and Grade sheep; Heister wood.

Breeders of Live Stock and Producers of field, garden and orchard products for sale, except such as reach the market through established and logical channels, are invited to communicate to the undersigned complete descriptions, quantities and other necessary information of such commodities.

Instructive literature on alfalfa growing, silos, lime in agriculture, peanut and soybean oil manufacture will be mailed to any address upon request.

ADDRESS—L. P. BELLAH, GENERAL AGENT.
Nashville, Tenn.

BRICK-BATS AND BOQUETS

Is the laborer worthy of his higher? Will Hickman's next Mayor wear whiskers?

Adam says if all women were virtuous, there would be no unvirtuous men. No?

Who's business is it to see that the gutters in front of the Curlin Block are opened?

City taxes are due. Here is your opportunity to work off some of that two-year-old script at par.

J. O. West's supporters owe an apology to Pres. Wilson in adopting the slogan: "We Will Win With West."

Circumstances alter cases. Many of the hustling, young farmers of 1918 followed other occupations this year.

Will Hon. W. J. McMurtry please tell us what's become of Millionaire Oil King Newberry and his Redfoot Lake oil wells?

A few of our business house windows will not get their annual washing until the last night in this month. After all, Halloween may be a good thing.

Some of the boys had close calls during the last session of the grand jury. There will be other juries, however, and lightning is just as likely to strike a mansion as a shack.

It doesn't matter whether he is possessed of a rare gift of diplomacy or exercises mere force in getting results. Esq. Shankle can boast of the east end of the county having the best ponds (since June 1).

Every candidate for city office should, for policy's sake, if nothing else, see that there are no dry goods boxes or other junk piled in front or behind his premises in violation of law. How shall the blind lead the blind?

From the way some white folks have been hauling negro voters to the voting precincts to register them, we would judge the "culla'd voter" holds the balance of power in the coming city election; or did the G. O. P. hire certain Democrats to work for them?

One of our local insurance agents tells us that practically all new business or policies renewed for fire insurance in Hickman will be written at a reduction of about ten per cent under last year's rate. In the face of rising prices in all other lines, its hard to believe the insurance companies would attempt to play the role of one good Samaritan among a million profiteers.

The change in school books this year has many of the books are not yet available. The books we have had to discard are every whit as good as the new ones, and about the only tangible result most of us can see is an additional h.c.d. burden, or a little more "gravy" for the publishers.

The United Charities Association of Hickman was in the act of closing a contract last week for a big carnival to play Hickman for the benefit of this organization, but were forestalled by the health and city authorities. The reason was the present epidemic of mumps. Hickman is noted for always having some pretext to bar outside amusements while our neighboring towns take off the lid occasionally and still survive. The cash drawer is one potent factor here.

The Curlin Raincoat Co. is "laying low and saving wood." This concern now has on hand over \$10,000 worth of raincoats, which are to be water-proofed in a short time. They are having inquiries for their product from the four corners of the United States. One big concern wanted a quotation on 10,000 dozen coats. Get it? Some future before this company—plenty of business and good profits. Some of the guys that had "cold feet" when the company was organizing are now begging for a few shares and are willing to pay above par. But, there's none for sale.

5 1/2 PER CENT MONEY.

Mr. Farmer: The First Fulton County National Farm Loan Association will lend you money on most favorable terms at 5 1/2 per cent interest. If interested, call or write H. W. Whipple, Hickman, Ky.

M. YRESIDENCE, on Carrol St., for sale. See me at once, if you want it.—Mrs. Geo. Hippenberg. ttc.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Arrington, and son, Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Melcomb Arrington, and Joe Smith, of Crutcheville, left Sunday for Akron, Ohio, to make their future home.

PAY YOUR TAXES

Don't Wait Until Last Day; as You May Be Disappointed.

I would advise taxpayers, who do not want to pay the penalty, to call and pay their county, state and school taxes now. The books are more complicated this year than heretofore and I shall not employ any extra force to handle the business at the last minute, as I have been in the habit of doing. If you happen to be one of the "last minute" taxpayers and cannot get waited on, don't blame me, as you have ample notice. And those who have not paid by Dec. 1, 1919, will have to suffer the penalty; no exceptions. Pay now—it will save trouble for both of us.

Respectfully,
SWAYNE WALKER,
Tax Collector F. C.

Red Cross Chapter Delegates to Hear

Livingston Farrand, Red Cross Peace-Time Leader

A RECENT announcement from Lake Division headquarters of the American Red Cross gives the dates of October 20, 21 and 22 for the three Lake Division state meetings of the American Red Cross.

Dr. Livingston Farrand, Chairman of the Central Committee, will speak in Lexington, Indianapolis and Cleveland, before gatherings of Red Cross chapter chairmen, executives and members who have been invited to hear Dr. Farrand detail the Red Cross peace service as it is being carried out.

According to Dr. Farrand, various kinds of Red Cross work are to be coordinated for service in American communities. Home Service, Nursing, First Aid, and Junior Red Cross work in communities will perpetuate the Red Cross name, emblem and service for humanity throughout America.

Letters received recently at Lake Division Headquarters give evidence that the needs of local communities not now taken care of, are to be the business of the American Red Cross as its peace-time work. Until the after-war work overseas is completed, the Red Cross is to function abroad. The Red Cross, concerned not alone with emergencies arising from sudden disasters, is planning to meet the continuing disaster of peace, the thousands of unnecessary deaths which occur yearly from preventable disease and epidemic.

Three hundred and sixty-five chapters with the thousands of branches and auxiliaries in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, have been invited to send one or more delegates to attend the important meetings just announced.

Disaster Relief Still a Red Cross Service

IF there comes to your town, Fire, Flood, Storm, or Epidemic, the American Red Cross will come, too, bringing relief and supplies to tide you over the time of emergency. This service is to be part of the peace-time work of the organization for which public support is to be asked during the week of November 2-11, when the Third Roll Call for members is made by the organization. There is need of preparedness against disasters, as statistics recently compiled at National Headquarters of the Red Cross show that since 1909 the disasters of peace-time at home have injured 1,500,000 people, destroyed \$1,000,000,000 of property and killed 100,000 people.

Under Red Cross direction the entire resources of all communities can be mobilized for almost instant use when needed. Three hundred and sixty-five Red Cross chapters in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky constitute preparedness committees which are to make surveys to locate food, hospital supplies, clothing, physicians and nurses, ready for emergency service. This information is to be filed by the thirteen territorial division offices of the organization and will make possible the establishment of disaster relief centers centrally located and prepared to cover trouble anywhere in the United States.

In cases where the emergency is too great for any one division to handle through its own relief centers, the entire relief strength of the Red Cross can be mobilized through National Headquarters. Disaster relief work, a traditional service to the Red Cross, is to be included in the peace-time plans for service to Americans now being worked out in the Lake Division.

Red Cross Distributes Hospital Supplies

TWO hundred and forty packing cases containing over 2,000,000 separate articles—pneumonia jackets, absorbent pads, bandages, nightgowns, pajamas and baby clothes—have been sent out during the past week from the warehouse of the Lake Division Red Cross Headquarters, Cleveland, to hospitals in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.

The American Red Cross is co-operating with the American Hospital Association to distribute 25,000,000 yards of gauze, intended for military hospitals, to civil hospitals in the United States that are in need of supplies.

At the division warehouse there are 3,000 boxes of garments and supplies sent in from Red Cross Chapters. These will be distributed to hospitals as orders are received from the hospital association. Women who met during the war to make surgical dressings meet now to pack these cases.

In the distribution the past week twenty-five hospitals in Ohio received supplies, five in Indiana and two in Kentucky.

Your Red Cross

Has a Peace Program of Service for Americans

Support It

Third Roll Call, Nov. 2-11

JOIN FOR 1920

WE
ENCOURAGE,
HELP, THE
YOUNG MAN -



THERE IS NO TIME IN THE LIFE OF A MAN WHEN HE IS MORE SUSCEPTIBLE TO TRAINING, TO DISCIPLINE, THAN DURING BOYHOOD DAYS.

Many a successful business man of today owes his success in large measure to proper training as a boy.

Don't you think your boy's future is worth the starting of a bank account for him today?

WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS
FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK
INCORPORATED
CAPITAL \$65,000.00
SURPLUS \$57,500.00
HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.



YOU WOULD NOT PUT ON PINEWOOD IF YOU WANTED A FIRE TO LAST.

YOU ARE WELL AWARE THAT HICKORY WOULD BE MUCH BETTER.

WHY NOT USE THE SAME JUDGMENT OF COAL?

ORDER YOUR COAL OF US AND GET THE REAL HOT STUFF THAT LASTS.

SERVICE PHONE 130 QUALITY
HICKMAN'S OLDEST COAL COMPANY
W. J. SPRADLIN & SON
COAL
KENTUCKY TENNESSEE ILLINOIS
LUZERNE BATTLE CREEK BIG MUDDY

Money to Loan

---ON---
Real Estate
5 1/2 = 2%

W. T. Bondurant & Son
REAL ESTATE
and INSURANCE
WE DO THE BUSINESS

SMALL FARM FOR SALE.

A cracker-jack little place of 15 acres with a pretty little modern 5-room residence, only 2 1/2 miles from town, and on public highway, rural route, telephone line and near church and school. Land practically all in cultivation except small locust grove. Nice strawberry patch. It would cost \$1800 to put the improvements on the place, but owner wants larger place and will sell this at \$2500, with terms. Get busy; small places close in are scarce. Particulars at this office. ttp

LAND FOR SALE.

174 acres of fine land, one-half mile from Bondurant, Ky., at a bargain if bought at once. See or write Samuels and Shelton, Clinton, Ky. ttc.

Ford Car—Touring, in good shape, new tires all around, for sale. For particulars apply at this office. ttc

For Rent—Two nice furnished rooms, on the hill, to ladies or married couple, —Allie Dodds. Oct. 23p.

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LOOKING BACKWARD

Compiled by Judge B. T. Davis.

Twenty-Fifth Installment.

The nine Justices of the peace would seem now to have been sufficient to have preserved the peace and dignity of the state within Fulton county, but in 1847 by an act of the Legislature another justice of the peace was authorized in Fulton county to reside in Madrid Bend. The act provided that Fulton county should have five constables and the County Court was directed to divide the county into five such districts.

The second Monday in each month was fixed as the County Court day for Fulton county, and this time of holding the County Court has never been changed. There were two terms of the Circuit Court at that time, each year, and the time of holding the Circuit Court was fixed as the second Monday in May, and the fourth Monday in October.

er, and it was provided that the Circuit Court might hold as long as six days, if the business required.

The county seat was located at Hickman, but in order that such location should be permanent it was required that a suitable lot for a court house be donated to the county and that by the first day of August, 1845, subscriptions of four thousand dollars be made by solvent men, payable in three annual installments as a donation to the county for the erection of a court house and such public buildings as might be required for the use of the county.

G. W. L. Marr deeded to Fulton county the lots upon which the court house and jail now stand and executed his obligation for the payment of the four thousand dollars as required by the act of the Legislature, locating the county seat at Hickman. When this subscription of four thousand dollars was made by G. W. L. Marr, there was an agreement made with him that his note for the amount should be replaced by the

subscriptions and donations of all parties but the records fail to show who were the other subscribers to the required amount of four thousand dollars.

At this first term of the County Court L. D. Stephens was appointed clerk pro tem of the County Court. An examination of his knowledge of keeping the records was required before he could be appointed permanently. The appointment as clerk was to continue during good behavior. L. D. Stephens was afterwards appointed clerk permanently. Edward I. Bullock was appointed County Attorney, Austin S. Tyler and James W. Gibson as suitably qualified one of whom A. S. Tyler was appointed Surveyor, Robert Powell was appointed Coroner, John Betts was appointed Jailor.

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"Spinners are excited over the shortage of our production. They have millions tied up in equipment and thousands of workers dependent upon them for work, and must have cotton. The American farmers have a limited supply of cotton and can and will get 40 cents if they hold for it. It takes 12 months to grow cotton. It should be marketed over a period of 12 months and not forced on the market in three months. This year's short crop was produced on the basis of war-time prices and with four successive short crops the world will face a cotton famine next June.

"Thousands of tons of cotton seed in Texas on account of the incessant rains have sprouted and rotted in the field. In previous years cotton seed mills have crushed thousands of tons of peanuts. Today peanuts are selling for \$100 a ton for shelling purposes. Therefore cotton seed oil will have no competition from peanut oil.

"Therefore, based on these facts, I beg farmers to tenaciously hold on to their cotton and seed until the above mentioned prices are obtained."

WILL NOT RUN

Pres. Wilson Will Not Be Candidate for Third Term.

That President Wilson will not be a candidate to succeed himself, is about the only thing that can be said positively at this time regarding the politics of 1920.

If there was no other consideration involved, the state of the President's health is such that he would be physically able neither to undertake such a campaign as will be necessary to win the next election, nor assume burdens of the presidency for another four-year period, if he could be elected without a personal campaign.

The plain truth is, of course, that the next campaign is going to be a hard-fought one from beginning to end. The Republicans will fight as they have seldom fought for the presidency and the Wilson foreign policies will be the real issues in the offensive they will launch.

The Democratic candidate must defend those policies and with great vigor and great effect. If he is to have an even chance at the polls. And it is not believed for a minute that the President will be in a physical condition, capable of undertaking the task.

In fact, the possibility of Mr. Wilson's candidacy has been dismissed by those closely associated with him.

As the result, the field for Democratic candidates for the presidential nomination is wide open. Many leading Democrats, who were inclined to eliminate themselves as presidential possibilities so long as there was a chance that the President would become the standard-bearer now feel at liberty to initiate their campaigns whenever they think the time is right.

18th ROWBOAT.

Local sportsmen, especially those desiring to glide over many of the surrounding lakes usually handicapped by not finding a boat on them, will be interested in knowing that they can now get a small light boat, which may be carried along in the Tin Lizzie.

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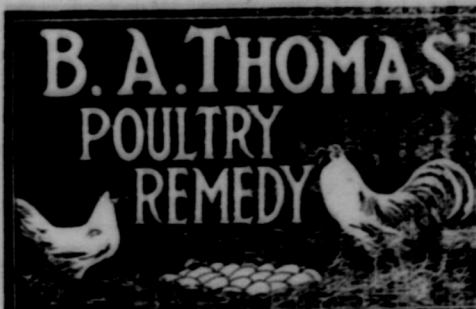
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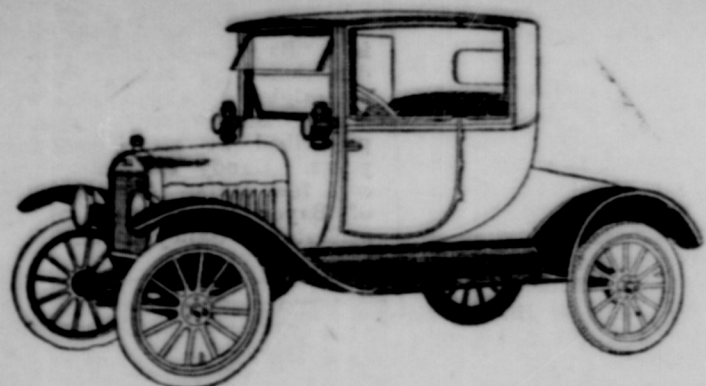
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Author of "GRAUSTARK," "THE HOLLOW OF HER HAND," "THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK," ETC.

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Thomas K. Barnes, wealthy New Yorker, on a walking trip through New England, is caught in a storm miles from his destination. At a crossroads point he meets a girl in the same plight. While they discuss the situation an automobile, sent to meet the girl, arrives and Barnes is given a lift to Hart's tavern, while the girl is taken on to her destination, which she tells Barnes is a place called Green Fancy.

CHAPTER II—At the tavern Barnes falls in with a stranded troupe of "barnstorming" actors, headed by Lyndon Rushcroft, and becomes interested in them.

CHAPTER III—As the storm grows, Barnes finds himself worrying over the safety of the girl, traveling over the mountain roads at what he considers dangerous speed. He learns that Green Fancy is something of a house of mystery. Two mounted men leave the tavern in a manner which arouses Barnes' curiosity.

CHAPTER IV—He meets "Miss Thackeray," leading lady of the stranded theatrical troupe, who is acting as chambermaid. That night he is aroused by the bringing of a dying man to the tavern, one of the two who had ridden away a short time before. They tell of finding the dead body of the other man. Both had been shot.

CHAPTER V—The wounded man, registered at the tavern as Andrew Paul, dies, and Barnes is informed he must not leave until after the inquest. O'Dowd and De Soto, guests at Green Fancy, visit the tavern, apparently much mystified over the affair.

CHAPTER VI—Barnes advances Rushcroft money sufficient to release the company from its embarrassing position, thereby becoming its official backer. He visits Green Fancy, and in the grounds meets his acquaintance of the night before, finding her a girl of surprising beauty.

CHAPTER VII—She seems not to be desirous of recognizing him, and turns away. O'Dowd appears and in apparently friendly fashion orders Barnes to feel he is unwelcome from the grounds.

CHAPTER VIII—Miss Thackeray warns Barnes that a man stopping at the tavern, ostensibly a book agent, had searched his baggage in his absence. O'Dowd comes to the tavern and with Barnes and others goes over the scene of the previous night's shooting. Barnes is invited to dinner at Green Fancy.

Rushcroft leaves the barnholes of his vest. He displayed no undue elation. Instead he affected profound calculations. His daughter shot a swift, searching look at the would-be Samaritan. There was a heightened color in her cheeks.

"Moreover, I shall be happy to increase the amount of the loan sufficiently to cover your return at once to New York, if you so desire—by train," Barnes smiled as he added the last two words.

"Extremely kind of you, my dear Barnes," said the actor, running his fingers through his hair. "Your faith in me is most gratifying. I—I really don't know what to say to you, sir."

"May I inquire just how you expect to profit by this transaction, Mr. Barnes?" Miss Thackeray asked steadily.

He started, catching her meaning. "My dear Miss Thackeray," he exclaimed, "this transaction is solely between your father and me. I shall have no other claim to press."

"I wish I could believe that," she said.

"You may believe it," he assured her.

"It isn't the usual course," she said quietly, and her face brightened. "You are not like most men, Mr. Barnes."

"My dear child," said Rushcroft, "you must leave this matter to our friend and me. I fancy I know an honest man when I see him. My dear fellow, fortune is but temporarily frowning upon me. In a few weeks I shall be on my feet again, zipping along on the crest of the wave. I dare say I can return the money to you in a month or six weeks. If—"

"Oh, father!" cried Miss Thackeray. "We'll make it six months, and I'll pay any rate of interest you desire. Six per cent, eight per cent, ten per—"

"Six per cent, sir, and we will make it a year from date."

"Agreed. Get up and dance for us. Dilly! We shall be in New York to-morrow!"

"You forget the dictatorial sheriff Mr. Rushcroft," said Barnes.

"The varlet!" barked Mr. Rushcroft. It was arranged that Dillingford and Bacon were to go to Hornville in a hired motor that afternoon, secure the judgment, pay the costs, and attend to the removal of the personal belongings of the stranded quartette from the hotel to Hart's Tavern. The younger actors stoutly refused to accept Barnes' offer to pay their board while at the Tavern. That, they declared, would be charity, and they preferred their friendship and his respect to anything of that sort. Miss Thackeray, however, was to be immediately relieved of her position as chambermaid. She was to become a paying guest.

Rushcroft took the whole affair with the most noteworthy complacency. He seemed to regard it as his due, or



Rushcroft Took the Whole Affair With the Most Noteworthy Complacency.

more properly speaking as if he were doing Barnes a great favor in allowing him to lend money to a person of his importance.

"A thought has just come to me, my dear fellow," he remarked as they arose from table. "With the proper kind of backing I could put over one of the most stupendous things the theater has known in fifty years. I don't mind saying to you—although it's rather sub rosa—that I have written a play—a four-act drama that will pack the box office as many months as we'd care to stay. Perhaps you will allow me to talk it over with you a little later on. You will be interested, I'm sure. Egad, sir, I'll read the play to you. I'll—What ho, landlord. Have your best automobile sent around to the door as quickly as possible. A couple of my men are going to Hornville to fetch hither my—"

"Just a minute," interrupted Putnam Jones, wholly unimpressed. "A man just called you up on the phone, Mr. Barnes. I told him you was entertaining royalty at lunch and couldn't be disturbed. So he asked me to have you call him up as soon as you revived. His words, not mine. Call up Mr. O'Dowd at Green Fancy. Here's the number."

The mellow voice of the Irishman soon responded to Barnes' call.

"I called you up to relieve your mind regarding the young woman who came last night," he said. "You observe that I say 'came.' She's quite all right, safe and sound, and no cause for uneasiness. I thought you meant that she was coming here as a guest, and so I made the very natural mistake of saying she hadn't come at all. The young woman in question is Mrs. Van Dyke's maid. But, bless me soul, how was I to know she was even in existence, much less expected by train or motor or Shanks' mare? Well, she's here, so there's the end of our mystery."

Barnes was slow in replying. He was doubting his own ears. It was not conceivable that an ordinary—or even an extraordinary—lady's maid could have possessed the exquisite voice and manner of his chance acquaintance of the day before, or the temerity to order that sour-faced chauffeur about as if—The chauffeur!

"But I thought you said that Mr. Curtis' chauffeur was moon-faced and—"

"He is, bedad," broke in Mr. O'Dowd, chuckling. "That's what deceived me entirely, and no wonder. It wasn't Peter at all, but the rapscallion washer who went after her. He was instructed to tell Peter to meet the four o'clock train, and the blockhead forgot to give the order. Bedad, what does he do but sneak out after her himself, scared out of his boots for fear of what he was to get from Peter. I had the whole story from Mrs. Van Dyke."

"Well, I'm tremendously relieved," said Barnes slowly.

"And so am I," said O'Dowd with conviction. "I have seen the heroine of our busted romance. She's a good-looking girl. I'm not surprised that she kept her veil down. If you were to leave it to me, though, I'd say that it's a sin to carry discretion so far as all that. You see what I mean, don't you?" His rich laugh came over him wire.

"Perfectly. Thank you for letting

me know. My mind is at rest. Good-by." As he hung up the receiver he said to himself, "You are a most affable, convincing chap, Mr. O'Dowd, but I don't believe a word you say. That woman is no lady's maid, and you've known all the time that she was there."

At four o'clock he set out alone for a tramp up the mountain road in which the two men had been shot down. His mind was quite clear. Roon and Paul were not ordinary robbers. They were, no doubt, honest men. He would have said that they were thieves bent on burglarizing Green Fancy were it not for the disclosures of Miss Thackeray and the very convincing proof that they were not shot by the same man.

It was not beyond reason—indeed, it was quite probable—that they were trying to cross the border; in that event their real operations would be confined to the Canadian side of the line. He could not free himself of the suspicion that Green Fancy possessed the key to the situation. Roon and his companion could not have had the slightest interest in his movements up to the instant he encountered the young woman at the crossroads. His busy brain suddenly suffered the shock of a distinct conclusion. Was she a fellow conspirator? Was she the inside worker at Green Fancy in a well-laid plan to rifle the place?

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GREEN FANCY

By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

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place called Green Fancy.

His ramble carried him far beyond the spot where Roon's body was found and where young Conley had come upon the tethered horses. His eager, curious gaze swept the forest to the left of the road in search of Green Fancy. Overcome by a rash, daring impulse, he climbed over the stake and rider fence and sauntered among the big trees which so far had obscured the house from view. The trees grew very thickly on the slope, and they were unusually large. He progressed deeper into the wood. At the end of what must have been a mile he halted. There was no sign of habitation, no indication that man had ever penetrated so far into the forest. As he was on the point of retracing his steps toward the road his gaze fell upon a huge moss-covered rock less than a hundred yards away. He stared, and gradually it began to take on angles and planes and recesses of the most astounding symmetry. Under his widening gaze it was transformed into a substantial object of cubes and gables—and yes, windows. He was looking upon the strange home of the even stranger Mr. Curtis—Green Fancy.

Now he understood why it was called Green Fancy. Its surroundings were no greener than itself; it seemed to melt into the foliage, to become a part of the natural landscape. Mountain ivy literally enveloped it. Exposed sections of the house were painted green; the doors were green; the leafy porches and their columns, the chimney pots, the window hangings—all were the color of the unchanging forest. And it was a place of huge dimensions, low and long and rambling.

"Gad," he said to himself, "what manner of crank is he who would bury himself like this? Of all the crazy ideas I ever—"

CHAPTER VII.

Spun-Gold Hair, Blue Eyes and Various Encounters.

She was quite unaware of his presence, and yet he was directly in her path, though some distance away. Her head was bent; her mien was thoughtful, her stride slow and aimless. She was slender, graceful and evidently quite tall, although she seemed a pigmy among the towering giants



Suddenly She Stopped and Looked Up.

that attended her stroll. Her hands were thrust deep into the pocket of a white duck skirt. A glance revealed white shoes and trim ankles in blue. She wore no hat. Her hair was like spun gold, thick, wavy and shimmering in the subdued light.

Suddenly she stopped and looked up. He had a full view of her face as she

gazed about as if startled by some unexpected, even alarming sound. For a second or two he held his breath, stunned by the amazing loveliness that was revealed to him. Then she discovered him standing there.

In a flash he realized that he was face to face with the stranger of the day before. He took two or three impulsive steps forward, his hand going to his hat—and then halted. Evidently his senses had deceived him. There was no smile in her eyes—and yet he could have sworn that it was there an instant before. Instead there was a level stare.

"I am sorry if I startled—" he began.

The figure of a man appeared as if discharged bodily from some magic tree-trunk, and stood directly in his path—a tall, rugged man in overalls was he, who held a spade in his hand and eyed him intently. Without another glance in his direction the first and more pleasing vision turned on her heel and continued her stroll, sauntering off to the right, her fair head once more bent in study, her back eloquently indifferent to the gaze that followed her.

"Who do you want to see?" inquired the man with the spade.

Before Barnes could reply a hearty voice accosted him from behind. He whirled and saw O'Dowd approaching, not twenty yards away. The Irishman's face was aglow with pleasure.

"I knew I couldn't be mistaken in the shape of you," he cried, advancing with outstretched hand. "You've got the breadth of a dockhand in your shoulders and the trimness of a prize fighter in your waist."

They shook hands. "I fear I am trespassing," said Barnes. His glance went over his shoulder as he spoke. The man with the spade had been swallowed up by the earth! He could not have vanished more quickly in any other way. Off among the trees were intermittent flashes of blue and white.

"I am quite sure you are," said O'Dowd promptly but without a trace of unfriendliness in his manner. "Bedad, loving him as I do, I can't help saying that Curtis is a bally old crank. Mind ye, I'd say it to his face—I often do, for the matter of that. Of course," he went on seriously, "he is a sick man, poor devil. You see I've known him for a dozen years and more, and he likes me, though God knows why, unless it may be that I once did his son a good turn in London."

"Sufficient excuse for reparation, I should say," smiled Barnes.

"I introduced the lad to me only sister," said O'Dowd, "and she kept him happy for the next ten years. No doubt I also provided Mr. Curtis with three grandchildren he might never have had but for my graciousness." A look of distress came into his merry eyes. "By Jove, I'd like nothing better than to ask you in to have a dish of tea—it's teatime, I'm sure—but I'd no more think of doing it than I'd consider cutting off my head. He doesn't like strangers. He—"

"My dear fellow, don't distress yourself," cried Barnes heartily. "There isn't the least reason in the world why—"

"You see, the poor old chap asks us up here once or twice a year—that is to say, De Soto and me—to keep his sister from filling the house up with men he can't endure. So long as we occupy the only available rooms, he argues, she can't stuff them full of objectionables. Twice a year she comes for a month, in the late fall and early spring."

"Why does he continue to live in this out-of-the-world spot? He is an old man, I take it, and ill."

"You wouldn't be wondering if you knew the man," said O'Dowd. "He is a scholar, a dreamer, a sufferer. He's not a very old man at that. Not more than sixty-five."

"He certainly has a fanciful streak in him, building a place like that," said Barnes, looking not at the house but into the thicket above. There was no sign of the blue and white and the spun gold that still defied exclusion from his mind's eye. He had not recovered from the thrill into which the vision of loveliness plunged him. He was still a trifle dazed and distraught.

"Right you are," agreed O'Dowd; "the queerest streak in the world. It's his notion of simplicity."

"Green Fancy. Is that the name he gave the place or does it spring from—"

"Was christened by me own sister, Mr. Barnes, the first time she was here, two years ago. I'll walk with you to the fence beyond if you've no objections," said O'Dowd genially, and linked his arm through that of Barnes.

The latter was at once subtly aware of the fact that he was being deliberately conducted from the grounds. Moreover, he was now convinced that O'Dowd had been close upon his heels from the instant he entered them.

There was something uncanny in the feeling that possessed him. Such espionage as this signified something deep and imperative in the presence not only of O'Dowd but the jack-in-the-box gardener a few minutes earlier.

His mind was still full of the lovely stranger about whom O'Dowd had so manifestly lied over the telephone.

"I must ask you to apologize to the young lady on whom I blundered a few moments ago, Mr. O'Dowd. She must have been startled. Pray convey to her my solicitude and excuses."

"Consider it done, my dear sir," said the Irishman. "Our most charming and seductive guest," he went on. "Bedad, of the two of you, I'll stake me head you were startled the most. Coming suddenly upon such rare loveliness is almost equivalent to being

struck by a bolt of lightning. More than one painter of portraits has said that she is the most beautiful woman in the world. Mayhap you have heard of her. She is Miss Cameron of New Orleans, a friend of Mrs. Van Dyke. We have quite an enchanting house party, Mr. Barnes, if you consider no more than the feminine side of it. By the way, have you heard when the coroner is to hold his inquests?"

"Nothing definite. He may wait a week," said Barnes.

"I suppose you'll stick around until it's over," ventured O'Dowd. Barnes thought he detected a slight harshness in his voice.

"I have quite made up my mind to stay until the mystery is entirely cleared up," he said. "The case is so interesting that I don't want to miss a shred of it."

"I don't blame ye," said O'Dowd heartily. "I'd like nothing better myself than to mix up in it. The next time you plan to pay us a visit, telephone in advance. I may be able to persuade my host that you're a decent, law-abiding, educated gentleman, and he'll consent to receive you at Green Fancy. Good day to ye," and he shook hands with the departing trespasser.

"Takin' a walk?" was the landlord's greeting as Barnes mounted the tavern steps at dusk.

"Going over the grounds of last night's affair," responded Barnes, pausing.

As he entered the door he was acutely aware of an intense stare leveled at him from behind by the landlord of Hart's Tavern. Half way up the stairway he stopped short and with difficulty repressed the exclamation that rose to his lips.

He had recalled a significant incident of the night before. Almost immediately after the departure of Roon and Paul from the Tavern Putnam Jones had made his way to the telephone behind the desk and had called a number in a loud, brisk voice, but the subsequent conversation was carried on in subdued tones, attended by hasty and occasional furtive glances in the direction of the taproom.

Upon reaching his room Barnes permitted the suppressed emotion to escape his lips in the shape of a soft whistle, which if it could have been translated into words would have said: "By Gad, why haven't I thought of it before? He sent out the warning that Roon and Paul were on the way! And I'd like to bet my last dollar that someone at Green Fancy had the other end of the wire."

Mr. Rushcroft was giving Hamlet's address to the players, in the taproom when Barnes came downstairs at nine o'clock.

A small, dark man who sat alone at a table in the corner caught Barnes' eye and smiled almost mournfully. He was undoubtedly a stranger; his action was meant to convey to Barnes the information that he too was from

LODGE NOTES

Fulton Lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F., meets each Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Odd Fellows building. A cordial invitation extended to all Odd Fellows and visitors are welcome. C. J. Surret, Noble Grand; A. J. Wiley, Secretary.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., meets in stated convocation on the 3rd Monday night of each month. Visiting companions are extended a cordial welcome.—W. J. McMurry, High Priest; Milton M. Spradlin, Secretary.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., meets in stated communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month at the Odd Fellows building. Visiting brothers always welcome.—H. W. Whipple, Master; W. F. Renneberg, Secretary.

Hickman Chapter (U. D.) Order of the Eastern Star meets the second Friday evening of each month at 8:00 o'clock at the Odd Fellows building. Visiting sisters and brothers are cordially invited.—Mrs. Mary Barbour, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Faustina McMakin, Secy.

Elm Camp No. 3, Woodmen of the World, meets every Second and Fourth Tuesday evenings at 7:30, at their hall in the old city hall building. Visiting Woodmen cordially invited.—Dick Henry, Consul Commander; J. C. Ellison, Clerk.

Hickman Lodge No. 1234, B. P. O. Elks meets first and third Wednesdays at Elks Home. D. P. Leibovitz, Exalted Ruler; S. D. Stembridge, Secretary.

a distant and sophisticated community and that a bond of sympathy existed between them.

Putnam Jones spoke suddenly at Barnes' shoulder. He started involuntarily. The man was beginning to get on his nerves. He seemed to be digging his footsteps with ceaseless persistency.

"That fellow over there in the corner," said Jones softly, "is a book agent from your town. He sold me a set of Dickens when he was here last time, about six weeks ago. A year's subscription to two magazines thrown in. By gosh, these book agents are slick ones."

"He's a shrewd-looking chap," commented Barnes. "Says he won't be satisfied till he's made this section of the country the most cultured, refined spot in the United States," said Jones dolefully. "Excuse me. There goes the telephone. Maybe its news from the sheriff."

With the spasmodic tinkling of the telephone bell the book agent arose and made his way to the little office. Barnes glanced over his shoulder a moment later and saw him studying the register. The poise of his sleek head, however, suggested a listening attitude. Putnam Jones, not four feet away, was speaking into the telephone receiver. As the receiver was restored to its hook Barnes turned again. Jones and the book agent were examining the register, their heads almost meeting from opposite sides of the desk.

The latter straightened up, stretched his arms, yawned, and announced in a loud tone that he guessed he'd stop out and get a bit of fresh air before turning in.

"Any news?" inquired Barnes, approaching the desk after the door had closed behind the book agent.

"It wasn't the sheriff," replied Jones shortly, and immediately resumed his interrupted discourse on books and book agents. Ten minutes elapsed before the landlord's garrulity was checked by the sound of an automobile coming to a stop in front of the house. Barnes turned expectantly toward the door. Almost immediately the car started again, with a loud shifting of gears, and a moment later the door opened to admit, not a fresh arrival but the little book agent.

"Party trying to make Hornville tonight," he announced casually. "Well, good night. See you in the morning."

Barnes was not in a position to doubt the fellow's word, for the car unmistakably had gone on toward Hornville. He waited a few minutes after the man disappeared up the narrow stairway, and then proceeded to test his powers of divination. He was as sure as he could be sure of anything that had not actually come to pass that in a short time the automobile would

pass the tavern, but this time from the direction of Hornville.

Lighting a cigarette he strolled outside. He had barely time to take a position at the darkened end of the porch before the sounds of an approaching machine came to his ears. A second or two later the lights swung around the bend in the road a quarter of a mile above Hart's Tavern, and down came the car at a high rate of speed. It dashed past the tavern with a great roar and rattle and shot off into the darkness beyond. As it rushed through the dim circle of light in front of the tavern Barnes succeeded in obtaining a brief but convincing view of the car. That glance was enough, however. He would have been willing to go before a jury and swear that it was the same car that had deposited him at Hart's Tavern the day before.

Having guessed correctly in the one instance he allowed himself another and even bolder guess—the little book agent had either received a message from or delivered one to the occupant or driver of the car from Green Fancy.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Note, Some Fancies and an Expedition in Quest of Facts.

He started upstairs, his mind full of the events and conjectures of the day. As he entered the room his eyes fell upon a white envelope at his feet. It had been slipped under the door since he left the room an hour before.

"Terse reminder from the prudent Mr. Jones! His bill for the day! He picked it up, glanced at the inscription, and at once altered his opinion. His full name was there in the handwriting of a woman. For a moment he was puzzled; then he thought of Miss Thackeray. A note of thanks, no doubt, unpleasantly fulsome! Vaguely annoyed, he ripped open the envelope and read:

"In case I do not have the opportunity to speak with you tonight, this is to let you know that the little man who says he is a book agent was in your room while you were away this afternoon. You'd better see if anything is missing."

He made a hasty but careful examination of his effects. There was not the slightest evidence that his pack had been opened or even disturbed. If the little book agent spent three-quarters of an hour in the room he managed most effectively to cover up all traces of his visit.

Barnes did not go to sleep until long

after midnight. He now regarded himself as definitely committed to a combination of sinister and piquant enterprises, not the least of which was to know about the mysterious young woman at Green Fancy.

The next day he, with other lodgers in the Tavern, was put through an examination by the police and county officials from St. Elizabeth, and notified that, while he was not under suspicion or surveillance, it would be necessary for him to remain in the "ballwick" until detectives, already on the way, were satisfied that he possessed no knowledge that would be useful to them in clearing up what had now assumed the dignity of a "national problem."

O'Dowd rode down from Green Fancy and created quite a sensation among the officials by announcing that they had a perfect right to extend their search for clues to all parts of his estate, and that he was deeply interested in the outcome of their investigations.

The sheriff said he would like to "run over the ground a bit" that very afternoon if it was agreeable to Mr. O'Dowd.

O'Dowd stayed to dinner. (Dinner was served in the middle of the day at Hart's Tavern.) He made a great impression upon Lyndon Rushcroft, who, with his daughter, joined the two men. Indeed, the palavering Irishman extended himself in the effort to make himself agreeable. He was vastly interested in the stage, he declared. As a matter of fact he had been told a thousand times that he ought to go on the stage.

The little book agent came in while they were at table. He sat down in a corner of the dining room and busied himself with his subscription lists while waiting for the meal to be served. He was still poring over them, frowning intently, when Barnes and the others left the room.

Barnes walked out beside Miss Thackeray.

"The tailor-made gown is an improvement," he said to her. He was thinking that she was a very pretty girl, after all.

"The frock usually makes the woman," she said slowly, "but not always the lady."

He thought of that remark more than once during the course of an afternoon spent in the woods about Green Fancy.

O'Dowd virtually commanded the expedition. It was he who thought of everything. First of all, he led the party to the corner of the estate nearest the point where Paul was shot from his horse. Sitting in his saddle he called the attention of the other riders to what appeared to be a most significant fact in connection with the killing of this man.

"From what I hear the man Paul was shot through the lungs, directly from in front. The bullet went straight through his body. He was riding very rapidly down the road. When he came to a point not far above the crossroads he was fired upon. It is safe to assume that he was looking intently ahead, trying to make out the crossing. He was not shot from the side of the road, gentlemen, but from the middle of it. The bullet came from a point almost directly in front of him, and not from Mr. Curtis' property here to the left or Mr. Conley's on the right. The chances are that Paul did not accompany Roon to the meeting place up



O'Dowd Virtually Commanded the Expedition.

the road. He remained near the horses. That's how he managed to get away so quickly. It remained for the man at the crossroads to settle with him. But we're wasting time with all this twaddle of mine. Let us be moving. There is one point on which we must all agree. The deadliest marksman in the world fired those shots. No bungling on that score, bedad."

(Continued next week.)

Not the biggest, but the best.—Busy Bee Cafe.

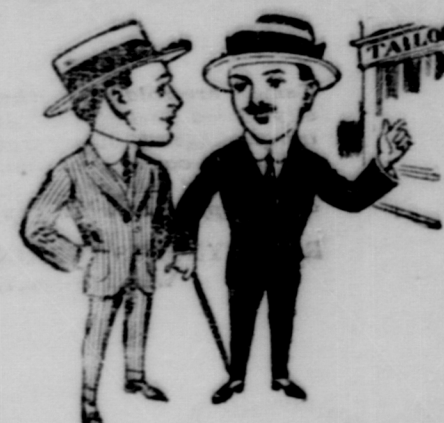
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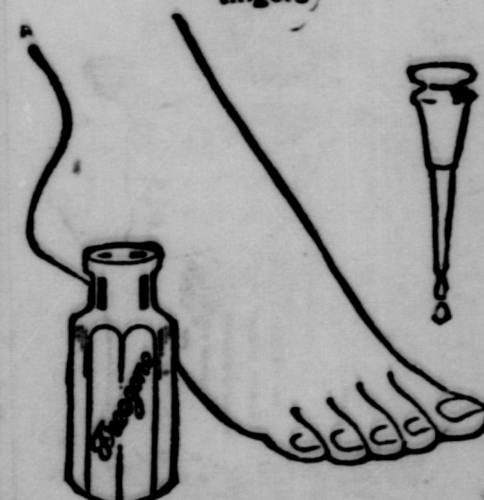
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WEALTHY DIG UP

Hidden Wealth Subjected to Taxation And Real Estate Decreases.

Real estate, under the system of classifying property for taxation, adopted by the people of Kentucky and first put into practice by the tax revision of 1917, bears a relatively decreasing proportion of the burden of taxation, as shown by statistics compiled by Ben

Marshall, Secretary of the State Tax Commission, for the year 1913 to 1919, inclusive.

Because the average taxpayer does not distinguish between State and local taxes and has not grasped the fact that it is the tax rate and not the assessment which counts, political propaganda apparently has gained converts against the system among the class of people most benefited by classification—farmers and city real-estate owners.

The state tax rate was reduced from 55 to 40 cents, notwithstanding the increase in assessments of real estate in 1918, it paid the state \$42,163.07 less than the year before. It paid to the counties a much larger amount than in 1917, because the counties did not reduce their tax rates.

This year farm real estate will pay to the state more than it did in 1917 but, because of a proportionately larger increase in the returns of money in banks and assessments on personality, especially intangible property, real estate is bearing a still lower percentage of the burden than it did in 1918.

By another cut in the state rate and contemplated cuts in the county rates by Fiscal Courts, real estate taxes can be reduced again, nearly all of it going for roads and schools. Even now the state revenue from real estate does not cover the appropriations for public school and highways.

From 1913 to 1917, inclusive the statistics show taxes on farm lands ranged from 41.691 per cent to 42.534 per cent of the total taxes paid the state; town lots from 34.303 to 35.127 per cent; tangible personality from 13.393 to 14.153 per cent; intangibles from 7.453 to 8.427 per cent; bank deposits from 1.139 to 1.422 per cent; and livestock in 1917 bore 7.029 per cent of the burden.

Thus, under the old tax law, 77 per cent of all the revenues of the state were derived from taxation of land. That was before property was classified and some of it relieved from state taxes. In addition more than another 7 per cent was borne by livestock upon the land.

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The members of the Columbus Rural telephone company met Saturday afternoon to consider the purchase of a new switch board and reconstruction of the system in and about Columbus.

A lively fight on school vaccination is on in Mercer County, Kentucky, Deputy Sheriff Joe Sanders and H. C. Robinson having been arrested for refusing to allow the thing to be done to their children.

Carl Akers is some cotton picker. Thursday of last week he picked 411 pounds in 10 hours for Rance James on his place adjoining Kennett on the north, and did a good job of it. A lot of people can't gather that much cotton in 10 hours, but there are mighty few who have ever made the record if the cotton was picked as it should be.—Kennett News.

FIRST FROST DATA.

The average date for the first frost in Fulton county is Oct. 18—and it came this year right about on schedule. The earliest killing frost on record was that of Oct. 2, 1876. The latest killing frost on record was Nov. 30, 1905.

Frosts during the past ten years have occurred as follows:

First Frost.	
1909	Oct. 12
1910	Oct. 22
1911	Oct. 22
1912	Oct. 23
1913	Oct. 21
1914	Oct. 27
1915	Oct. 9
1916	Sept. 30
1917	Oct. 9
1918	Nov. 1
First Killing Frost.	
1909	Nov. 17
1910	Oct. 29
1911	Nov. 2
1912	Nov. 3
1913	Oct. 30
1914	Nov. 17
1915	Nov. 15
1916	Oct. 23
1917	Oct. 9
1918	Nov. 24

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

All persons or firms holding accounts against the estate of Lem H. Bacon (deceased) will please present same to the undersigned administrator, in proper form, on or before December 1, 1919, or be forever barred. Those indebted to his estate are also requested to come forward and settle before the above date.—A. C. Bacon, Administrator. N6p

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FULTON BOY DISAPPEARS.

Beckham Bard, son of J. T. Bard, of Fulton, who has been working in St. Louis for some time, has disappeared and his relatives and friends are concerned over his safety.

Young Bard who lives with his brother in St. Louis, left his home Thursday evening of last week, stating that he was to spend the night with a friend. Nothing more has been heard of him to date, and no reason for his disappearance is known.

The cotton market is a queer bird. We have been informed that seed cotton sold last Saturday at a wide range of prices in various nearby markets. At Hickman the maximum price was \$13.00; Union City \$14.50; Choctaw \$13.20 and Dyersburg \$16.00. We remember a few years back the same good cotton brought only \$2.50 to \$3.00 a hundred. The difference between prices paid by some buyers Saturday was greater than the entire purchase price ten years ago.

Through their attorney, Lake Erie Holladay, of Dresden, several traveling men, citizens and public officials, have filed a petition with Hon. Walker D. Hines, U. S. R. Administrator, Washington, D. C., to order the afternoon trains at Martin to make connection. This has reference to the I. C. and N. C. & St. L.

Although Somerset and Pulaski counties are considered the Gibraltar of Republicanism, as the home of Edwin P. Morrow, Republican nominee for Governor, precinct No. 1, in Somerset, the home precinct of Morrow and his brothers and brothers-in-law and most all of his "kinkfoks," gave a majority of four for the Democrats in the registration, the total being: Democrats, 114; Republicans, 110; Independents, 4.

Ed Morrow hasn't yet explained how he is to appoint school book commission of his own liking, to fill vacancies that will not occur until his term of office should have expired, if he should happen to bet "it."

Cam Pearigen and wife, on the R. L. Bradley plantation, are entertaining a new daughter. The little Miss arrived Thursday night.

Cage Vivrette, of Clinton, was here on business Saturday.

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95-ACRE FARM FOR SALE.

Here is a good buy: A well improved 95-acre farm, 4 1/2 miles from Hickman, on the Dyersburg road; about 55 or 60 acres in cultivation; 45 acres hill land, balance fine bottom land worth \$150 an acre. Cotton crop on hill land is making three-quarters of a bale of cotton to the acre this year. 10 acres in grass and clover. The homestead on the hill section includes good 5-room residence, barn and necessary out-buildings, orchard, etc.; bottom land has tenant house and barn. Lot of fine locust timber. Close to church, school and in good community. \$7500 will buy this place; or \$5000 will get the 865-acre hill section. Terms: Half cash; balance on long time. You can't go wrong on this deal. For particulars apply at Courier office. nov15p

SISTER OF MRS. JUNEY.

Mrs. Charley Green died Thursday morning and was buried Friday in St. Jerome's cemetery. She was a highly esteemed Christian woman and loved by everyone. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. W. A. Stahr and Mrs. S. S. Stahr, of Fancy Farm, and Mrs. Avce Jurney, of Hickman, and one brother, Ralph Davis, of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. She also leaves a husband and several children, the youngest being a five-day-old infant. The two oldest are boys. Mayfield Messenger.

Some months ago a car of oil sprung a leak on a siding in Centerville, and 19 residents made a bee line to the car with buckets. Thursday the residents pleaded guilty of stealing interstate freight before United States Judge English, and were fined from \$40.15 to \$51.81.

VITAL STATISTICS

302 Deaths and 246 Births in Fulton County During Year 1918.

The Bureau of Vital Statistics furnishes the Courier with a tabulated report of deaths and births in Fulton county for the year of 1918. Total deaths (exclusive of still births amounting to 15) were 302—the largest we have had in many years, and which was the result of the influenza epidemic, which killed 79 people in our county.

Number of births 246. The death rate is 20.3 against a birth rate of 16.8, based on an estimated population in the county of 16,248.

Deaths of infants, under one year, 45; over one and under four, 33; age sixty-five and over, 44.

In the following lists are the figures for the years 1917 and 1918; the first figure is for 1917 and the last for 1918:

Tuberculosis of the lungs, 25—28.
Other tuberculosis, 1—3.
Typhoid fever, 6—2.
Diphtheria, croup, 2—1.
Scarlet fever, 0—0.
Measles, 5—0.
Whooping cough, 4—4.
Pneumonia, 24—24.
Diarrhoea (under two years old), 21—16.
Meningitis, 6—2.
Influenza, 11—79.
Puerperal septemia (child bed fever), 1—3.
Other diarrhoeal diseases, 21—44.

All of the above diseases are listed as preventable.

The following come under the head of deaths "from violence and cancer":

Cancer, 7—5.
Violence, 45—46.
Stillbirths (not included in above totals), 12—15.

It will be observed that we've had a large falling off in violent deaths but this has been offset by deaths from influenza.

DORENA GETS P. O.

Postoffice to be Re-Established with W. C. Bryant as Postmaster.

Through a recent order issued by the Postoffice Department, the postoffice at Dorena, opposite Hickman, Ky., which was abolished in 1915 is to be restored at once, with W. C. Bryant, prominent planter and one of the county's largest land owners as postmaster. The postoffice at Dorena was first established in 1899, and continued for sixteen years, at which time it was discontinued, for some reason, compelling the patrons to get their mail at Hickman. Fixtures for the new office have been ordered, and on arrival, the new office will be opened for the receipt and dispatch of mails. Temporarily, the mail will be transferred to Dorena by boat from Hickman.

THE OLD MAN.

As man grows older in hoof and shoulder he has a frequent pain, his back is aching, his heart breaking at every strain. We should remember that life's December is cheerless, cold and sad, and not act bearish, but help and cheer the poor old ailing dad. The old man stumbles, and stammers and grumbles, but we should patient be, for the time is sailing and we'll be ailing and weak, some day as he. We're hale and hearty; age is a party who seems afar, remote; but time's a sprinter, and soon life's winter will come and get our goat. And when we totter, and fuss and pouter, as weary old men will, may those around us, but ease us, down the hill. As the hair grows whiter the way-worn blighter needs kindness all the time; if you remind him that love's behind him you're guilty of a crime. The dippant laddy whose rude to daddy can be no friend of mine, though that same critter may fairly glitter where social lions shine.—Ex.

SELLING MIRACLE WHEAT.

An efficient swindle is never permitted to die. Years ago "miracle wheat" was marketed to the farmers for a price that would dent the conscience of a food profiteer. The wheat turned out to be just ordinary, everyday seed—or worse. Finally, the farmers rose up and made the seed sellers hard to catch. The affair received as much publicity as an actress receives.

Yet there is the Agriculture College of Idaho sending out warnings that marketers of "miracle wheat" are abroad in the land and prospering amazingly. Experience, publicity, trials and punishments—the common knowledge of the country side—seem to count for nothing. "Miracle wheat" sounded well and the second crop of farmers bit as eagerly as the first.

HARRIS HEADS I. O. O. F.

W. B. Harris, of Morganfield, Ky., was elected Grand Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Kentucky, Wednesday at their meeting at Louisville. J. W. Douglas, of Owen, was elected deputy grand master; B. J. Durham, of Danville, was elected grand treasurer, and Beckham Overstreet was elected grand representative.

FIRST FROST SATURDAY.

The first frost of the season was reported Saturday. It was very light, and by no means what would be termed a "killing frost." Little real damage resulted. Some sections reported no frost at all, while along the high lands off the Dyersburg road it was reported as from "light" to "a pretty good one."

Owing to the high prices that country newspapers are going to have to pay for paper, and everything else, for the next six months and maybe more, it may be a tight squeeze for many of them to pull through. The Courier has a supply of paper that will carry us up to the New Year—then—?

New Hampshire Triumph



This young barrow was fed and killed at the Agriculture Experiment Station of the University of Kentucky.

These figures tell the story of why the packers like them.

Choice immuned breeding stock for sale at reasonable prices.

J. W. MAYES, Hickman, Ky.

Nice Building Lot For Sale, in Southern Heights. One of the choice lots of the addition. Size 62 1/2 x 150 feet. Concrete walks, electric light, telephone, water, sewer at front of lot. If interested call at this office. ttp.

Groceries.—Bandurant Bros.

Farm For Sale—94 acre place, all modern improvements, 4 1/2 miles from Hickman, good 6-room house, big barn, 3 cribs, hay shed, tenant house, 2 wells, cistern; located on public road, telephone line, rural route—an ideal home. —o—

Groceries.—Bettsworth.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
By mutual agreement the partnership of Jno. R. Wright and T. T. Swayne, operated under the firm name of the City Coal Co., and doing a retail business in the city of Hickman, Ky., is dissolved.
T. T. Swayne.
John R. Wright.



Wear Pledge

At last, a Boys' Suit that puts a stop to uncertain service. You've seen boys' clothes of the old school; now come see the head of the class.

We have just been granted the exclusive selling rights in Hickman for a Boys' garment that can't go bad without making good.

Its name is WEARPLEDGE. It's made in New York by a Million Dollar institution and sold from sea to sea by especially appointed dealers.

Every WEARPLEDGE suit or o'coat is accompanied by an insurance policy that pledges the wear to your satisfaction, or new clothes as your settlement.

It's the biggest, broadest and boldest stroke in boys' clothes merchandising that has ever been attempted in America.

We're glad we own the exclusive selling right for Hickman. And Hickman will be glad that WEARPLEDGE is a part of the City when season opens.

THE BELT

Every Wearpledge suit goes home with a "Live" Leather Belt on the pants. The minute your son sees it stretch he'll start to coax.

THE BACKING

An Insurance Policy goes with every garment regardless of price. New Clothes if a Wearpledge fails—without any red tape.

THE MOTHER TOUCH

Wearpledge Clothes, both models and make, are passed on by a Committee of Mothers—this "touch" tells and talks—when you see it.



"THERE'S A REASON."

The House That Gained 500 per cent In It's 7th Year of Existence
The Live Store Where Quality Reigns Higher Than Price

The Super-Six Motor Is Exclusively Hudson's

IT ADDS 72% TO POWER—MINIMIZING VIBRATION AND INCREASING CAR LIFE—NO OTHER CAR CAN USE IT FOR HUDSON CREATED AND HOLDS THE SUPER-SIX PATENT

The automobile issues which stand uppermost today are the same which four years ago made Hudson the largest selling fine car. They have kept in that position ever since.

Let us not confuse them.

It is not speed, not power, nor hill climbing ability—though Hudson holds those stock car records.

It is the fact that those records were won through endurance, made possible by a patented motor invented and controlled by Hudson, known as the Super-Six.

And those records, after many attempts to match them still belong to Hudson, because equal endurance has not been established in any other car.

IS ONLY SUPREME FEATURE
EVER CONTROLLED By One MAKER

Never before has any one car held all the worth while records. Never has one car proved supreme in speed, hill climbing, in flexibility and in endurance.

Never before has a major feature been controlled by a single maker. The Super-Six by a single invention, increased motor power 72 per cent. No other car has, or can have, until Hudson wills, a motor like the Super-Six. What maker can approach it in things that count for most? Until Hudson consents to its use by others, men who want such a great car must choose the Super-Six.

IMPROVED THROUGH FOUR YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

Since the first Super-Six many advancements have been made in the Hudson. But the principle by which it attained its supremacy remains unchanged. Refinements have been added as the result of experience. The things which Hudson owners had said would make the Super-Six the finest car that is built, are included in the present Hudson.

What car has had equal opportunity to do these things? Before the present model was offered, 60,000 owners of earlier Super-Sixes were influencing its development.

SUCH A CAR IS ALWAYS IN DEMAND

Men have long known that to get a Hudson it is necessary to make reservations in advance. On some models and in some seasons thousands have waited a month or more.

No man can drive a Hudson without feeling a growing respect for it. Old models are retained by owners with an affection equal to that extended toward a faithful servant.

Super-Six owners know the real meaning of motor car satisfaction. Their needs are fulfilled.

If you plan to get a Hudson this year or next, now is not too early to speak for it.

Sparkman & Putman, Hickman;

Olcott & Read, Fulton

HAVE YOU GOT YOURS YET?

Our proposition is so simple and yet so fair that business men, professional men and all other intelligent people everywhere are seizing the opportunity to become owners of property in this great oil field. Orders are coming in from different parts of the United States and if home folks want to acquire an interest before it is too late, now is the time to act.

Do you own any land in this oil district? Do you hold any lease on any of this land? If not, do you want an interest in it?

Don't you want to actually own some of the land in this oil district and an interest in an oil or gas well? If you do read on.

We have divided 33 acres of land in the very heart of this great oil district into lots of 100 square feet each which we are selling for \$10 a lot, together with an interest in the oil well which we are preparing to drill near the center of this tract just as soon as we finish this sale. Anyone has the right to purchase as many lots as he may desire.

\$100.00 invested in Trapshooters Oil Company yielded . . .	\$ 42,000.00
\$100.00 invested in Merritt Oil Company yielded . . .	\$ 57,000.00
\$100.00 invested in San Joaquin Oil Company yielded . . .	\$ 88,000.00
\$100.00 invested in Fortuna Oil Company yielded . . .	\$250,000.00

John D. Rockefeller said: Don't delay. Get in while you can. The unwise man thinks a thing worthless or it would not be offered to him.

Our proposition puts this opportunity to become independent within reach of every man, woman and child. It will not be within your reach after the oil and gas wells begin to give up their great wealth in this oil field.

We will explain every detail to anyone calling at our office at 119 Clinton Street, or you may call us by Cumberland Telephone No. 67, or you may fill in the following blank and mail to us, and we will mail you a warranty deed to the lot or lots which you desire.

RONEY, MITCHELL & BRUER,
Hickman, Kentucky.

Enclosed is \$_____ for which execute and mail me deed to _____ lots in your oil tract, together with an interest in oil or gas well to be drilled thereon.

Roney, Mitchell & Bruer

.....OWNERS.....

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND FULL PARTICULARS,
CALL AT OUR OFFICE AT 119 CLINTON ST., OR WRITE,

J. W. RONEY, AGENT,

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks to friends who were so kind and attentive to us, and who assisted us during our recent bereavement—the death of our child. —L. C. Campbell and wife.

For Sale—No. 15 Cole's Hot Blast heating stove, good as new. Used one season. Also, collapsible "Allwin" baby buggy in first class condition. Call at this office. nov15dh

Finis Pugh, of Carrsville, Ky., is visiting his brother G. E. Pugh this week. He will return home Saturday.

We are selling shoes at \$2.75 to \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

OYSTER SUPPER.

The ladies of the Christian Church will serve oysters—any style—in the basement of the church Friday evening, beginning at 6:00 o'clock. Come and bring a friend.

We will sell you a white leather shoe, wing tip at \$6.50. Leather throughout as near water proof as leather can be.—Sullivan Bros.

Wanted—Rental property to look after. Close attention will be given to all rentals in our hands.—W. T. Bondurant & Son.

Let me figure on your building contract.—W. J. Shaw.

Back to the Old Time

Congress Kills Daylight Saving Law; Senate Follows House in Overriding President's Rejection of Repeal

Repeal of the daylight-saving act has been accomplished. The senate voted to sustain the house in passing the repeal measure over President Wilson's veto. The vote was 57 to 19.

The repeal of the law, which now takes its place among the very few which have been passed over a presidential veto, becomes effective after the clocks are turned back to normal in October. It will go down in legislative history as one of the very few measures which twice have been vetoed by a president and become law by the vote of more than two-thirds in both houses of congress.

Agitation for repeal of the daylight-saving law first came from farmers, but recently was buttressed by labor unions, mothers' clubs, rural school authorities, and many other interests.

Urban opinion also became divided and officials of many cities and smaller towns demanded repeal. Congress was flooded with petitions for repeal and with petitions urging retention of the statute.

Loss of time in farm labor was the principal objection raised to the law. This complaint came principally from farmers employing "hired hands." Opponents of the law declared all farmers, at some time during the summer season, are employers of labor and suffered from the law.

The complaint of loss of labor was based principally on the shortening of the working day on the farm by the advancing of the clock one hour from March to October.

The farmers declared they could not adjust farm work to the advanced time because, with the clock advanced an hour, farm work could not be begun as early in the morning as under the normal time schedule and must close an hour earlier.

Hubert Andrews, driving a Ford car, let the machine get away from him Monday afternoon and went through a board fence into the yard behind H. C. Pearson's shoe shop. The car was slightly damaged but the occupants of the car escaped injury, after two of them had jumped to safety. Bystanders say he was making too much speed to turn the corner, which was responsible for the accident.

Why should you worry about the high prices when Sullivan Bros. will sell you a heavy woolen mill pant at \$2.75.—Sullivan Bros.

I have plenty of Ohio River Salt. Better get yours now.—D. A. Newton.

All kinds of fresh canned goods at Bettersworth's.

LIVERADE is good for babe and mother alike.

I handle good roofing at right prices.—W. J. Shaw.

See Bettersworth for anything you need.

H. W. Whipple, Master of the Masonic lodge of Hickman, and Hon. W. J. McMurry, High Priest of the local Chapter, left Monday night for Louisville to attend the Kentucky Grand Lodge as representatives of the two local bodies.

Boys, we know you are hard on your suits. That is the reason we are selling Cleveland Woolen mill suits at Sullivan Bros.

J. B. Graham, the popular hotel man of Caruthersville, Mo., was here the first of the week on business.

Men, we have the flannel shirts, heavy, all colors. Price \$1.50 to \$4.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Don't forget the oyster supper at the Christian Church Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock.

Miss Golda Benthall, of Dresden, spent the week-end with home folks.

Fresh oysters and celery at Mooney's.

If figures don't lie—why the corset?

MARY'S LITTLE LAMB.

Mary had a little lamb its fleece was white as snow; it strayed away one day where lambs should never go. And Mary sat her quickly down and tears streamed down her eyes she never found her little lamb for she did not advertise. And Mary had a brother John who kept the village store, he sat down and smoked a pipe, and watched the open door. And as the people passed along and did not stop to buy, John still sat and smoked his pipe and blinked his sleepy eye. And so the sheriff closed him out but still he lingered near and so Mary came to drop with him a sympathetic tear. How is it sister can you tell, why other merchants here sell all their goods so readily and thrive from year to year? Remembering her own bad luck the little maid replied: "These other fellows get there John because they advertise."

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

Men, we are selling 18-inch boots. Red leather, full vamp, leather counters and insole. As near water proof as can be at \$9.00.—Sullivan Bros.

S. M. Naifeh goes to St. Louis this week to purchase winter goods for his department store.

J. H. Russell, of Memphis, spent the first of the week with home folks at Hickman.

Courier three months 40c.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

M. A. Couch, being duly sworn, states that the following described animals, one black sow, with white face and white feet, tips of both ears split, and four pigs, weight about 25 pounds each, were found as strays on his premises in Fulton County Kentucky, about 2 miles west of State Line Station, and he states that said animals are of the value of \$50.00 and A. C. Gore, a housekeeper in Fulton County, being duly sworn states that said animals are of the value of \$50.00.

Wherefore, I, the undersigned County Judge of Fulton County, Kentucky, value said animals at \$50.00. Witness my hand as Judge of the Fulton County Court, this 4th day of October, 1919.

E. J. Stahr,
Judge of Fulton County Court.
Attest Copy. O. C. Henry, Clerk.

Nov. 6c
Mothers, it will pay you to see our boys line of suits before you buy. They are all wool, heavy, all new makes and shades with a guarantee on every suit, at Sullivan Bros.

It may be extremely bad taste to mention the matter again, but wasn't there some talk of putting profiteers behind the bars and bringing down the high cost of living?

Boys, see our all wool suits before you buy. They are heavy and warm.—Sullivan Bros.

Get Ohio River Salt at D. A. Newton's store.

One Price Store

R. LOEB & CO.

Specials for This Week

Yard-Wide Suitings, 75c quality	39c
Dress Plaids, \$1.25 quality	75c
Serges in different colors, \$1.25 quality	75c
Serges in different colors, \$1.75 quality	\$1.35
Yard-Wide Percales	23c
Calico in different colors	15c
Ginghams, 30c quality	23c
Extra heavy Outing Flannel	23c
Yard-Wide Muslin, good quality	23c
L. L. Domestic, heavy weight	19c
4-Dollar Blanket, this week	\$2.95
Ladies' Coat Suits and Coats at reduced prices.	
Children's Coats	\$6.95, \$11.75 and \$12.75

We Have a Full Line of
DRESSES, SHIRT WAISTS
to Suit Everybody

R. LOEB & CO.

ONE PRICE STORE

HICKMAN, KY.

Cream 63c

Bring your cream to Andrews' Cash Store and get 63 cents for it. If you have no separator, hand skim it. We buy on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Cumberland Valley
Creamery Co.
AT ANDREWS' CASH STORE.

Over and Under CLOTHES

To-Keep=You=Warm



The owners of this business are not given to making sensational advertising statements. We don't believe in hocus pocus methods. You never read a hurry-up-or-they'll-all-be-gone advertisement by the Store of Standardized Values.

But at this time we feel called upon to make a public announcement, which is nothing short of sensational!

We feel that our reputation for veracity in advertising will insure your belief in this statement.

The average selling price of the clothing at this store is today lower than the average cost of the same goods on the wholesale market.

In other words, almost every suit and overcoat that we offer you today at Standardized value prices will cost us more to replace than the price we now ask.

A wink is as good as a nod to a blind horse!

Overcoats

A splendid line in all the popular weaves, colors and patterns. We are sure to have your size and a coat that will please in price and looks and durability. Prices range from

—\$15.00 to 35.00

Men's Suits

We feature some very excellent suits; far better than you would expect under present market conditions when you see them and get our prices. Blue Serge Suits in regular patterns at \$22.50 to \$25.00; high waist lines at \$27.50. Fancy suits, with high waist lines and belts \$35.00. Where can you beat our prices

—\$22.50 to 35.00

New Hats

Hats in all the new leading shades, imported Italian and American hats, wide and narrow bands, scratch felts and velours—a hat for every had at

—\$4.00 to 6.00

Sweaters

A nice line of these and becoming styles for both young and old men—coats, slip-ons and athletics. You can surely find YOUR sweater in our stock. Come in and give us the once over; its sweater time

—\$1.50 to 15.00

Good Shoes

We are showing men's footwear in the smartest styles of the season, including a varied assortment of shades and leathers—in the famous Dunlop make—at prices that will appeal to you. Prices

—\$3.50 to 12.50

For Boys—a big, strong line \$3.00 to \$7.50

Underwear

This store carries one of the largest stocks of men's underwear to be found in Western Kentucky. Here you find underwear in all wool, wool and cotton mixtures and cotton—single garments and union suits. Let us figure on your winter needs. Prices

—\$1.80 to 5.00

Baltzer & Dodds Dry Goods Co.

Incorporated
"THE STORE THAT LEADS"

ALL UP TO THE SCHOOL-MA'AMS

Kentucky Teachers Are Most Important Factor In \$300,000 Drive

GILBERT URGES ACTION

"The country school-ma'am—that faithful, endearing bulwark of progress and enlightenment—is the personage on whom the success of Kentucky's \$300,000 drive to build a new Children's Home depends. The country school-ma'am is the one who is in the direct position to take charge of the campaign in her school and get the children interested," according to George L. Schon, superintendent of the Kentucky Children's Home Society.

V. C. Gilbert, state superintendent of schools, urges all teachers to put their best efforts into the campaign until it closes the last week in October. "County superintendents are often too busy to enter personally into the campaign, and perhaps the teachers think it is not up to them to take the initiative in the matter. I want to urge all county superintendents to put forth their best efforts into the campaign, but if some should happen to forget their duty in this matter, I want to see the teachers themselves take hold and push it through to the great success it deserves. Many of the prominent people over the state who would be willing to direct a campaign in their locality, are busy taking part in the political campaign. Here is a chance for teachers over the state to show their initiative and qualities of leadership and management in their schools and communities."

A Business Investment.

The new home which will be built after the campaign, will be a group of cottages on a farm ten miles from Louisville. This will provide wholesome surroundings for the children, and the duties connected with the management of the farm will give vocational training to the older children in the care of the Kentucky Children's Home Society.

"It is not only a good, charitable cause, but a sound business investment," Mr. Schon said. "Instead of the constant yearly drain to provide for the Kentucky children that come into our care, we will have fifty acres of ground upon which to raise provisions, which will more than pay for the cost of the food supplies. The Odd Fellows' Home at Eminence, Ky., which cultivates thirty-seven acres, raises more food than is consumed, and there is a surplus to apply on other expenses."

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 60c.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of Hickman Chapter American Red Cross will be held at the Court House next Wednesday, October 29th, at 4 o'clock. At this meeting officers will be elected for the ensuing year. Mrs. L. McMakin and Miss Carrie Mal Reid will report the Regional Conference held this week in Lexington. If you have the interest of the Red Cross at heart, please be present.

W. F. Renneberg, Chairman.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

Census enumerators, for taking the 1920 census, are now due to be named. We are informed as to whether these jobs will be let as "political patronage" or to the most competent of the applicants. If the former, the local peanut politician will try to control the assignment and may even demand a few of the grapes.

The "flu" may come back this winter—and it may not. Last spring it was predicted that the wave of infantile paralysis would be far more severe than it was in 1918. But it wasn't.

Considerable prowling and petty thievery is reported about town. Even though ammunition is high, householders should not hesitate to throw away a load or two of buckshot on these scoundrels.

If you are sending away valuable papers, bonds, etc., by mail, let us insure them for you. The rate is very low.—Henry & Henry.

Rains the first of the week cut in on what promised to be one of the biggest business weeks of the year in Hickman.

For Sale—Nice 3-room house and two lots in Henry Addition for \$400 and good terms. Apply at Courier office. 10-23 p

Extra heavy Veedol oil for tractors, etc. \$1.20 a gallon at Bondurant Bros.


Atty. S. D. Stenbridge and wife motored to Fulton Sunday.

Engraved cards, wedding invitations, etc., at this office.

Plenty of Ohio River Salt in barrels.—D. A. Newton. tfe

A new place—a clean place—a place to eat—Busy Bee.

One more week of Daylight Saving time.



THIS DISINFECTANT
WILL KEEP DISEASE
GERMS AWAY

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION PAYS

IT IS BETTER TO PREVENT DISEASE THAN TO CURE IT

We offer a full line of Deodorizers and Disinfectants that will sweeten things up about the place and prevent possible sickness.

THE EXPENSE IS NOMINAL

The benefits and comfort pre-eminently worth while.

For cuts, sores, wounds of any sort, however trifling, you should have a disinfectant to cleanse the wound.

WE ARE IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH

HICKMAN DRUG CO.

REXALL REMEDIES • HICKMAN, KY. • CIGARS CANDY SODA WATER

SERVICE • ACCURACY • COURTESY

BILL MINOR KILLED.

Lawrence Masterson, Late Duncan and Bill Minor of this city, were making a trip down the river and on reaching a point near Clarksdale, Miss., landed and pitched camp. The sheriff being notified that a party had pitched camp near there and were selling liquor, with six deputies went to the camp about 11 o'clock Friday night. The men were in the tent playing cards when the sheriff ordered them to surrender. Masterson and Duncan came out and surrendered, but Minor grabbed his gun and ran out the rear of the tent, where he was shot and killed instantly. Six sacks of whiskey were found.—New Madrid Record.

MAKES RAPID HEADWAY.

Add This Fact to Your Store of Knowledge.

Kidney disease often advances so rapidly that many a person is firmly in its grasp before aware of its progress. Prompt attention should be given the slightest symptom of kidney disorder. If there is a dull pain in the back, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, or if the kidney secretions are offensive, irregular and attended by pain, procure a good kidney remedy at once.

Your townspeople recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Read the statement of this Hickman citizen.

Jno. Provow, prop. barber shop, 810 Johnson Ave., says: "From over-work and standing so much, my kidneys became affected and my back gave me a lot of pain. I had sharp, shooting pains across the small of my back and the kidney secretions were irregular in passage. I had to get up at night quite a few times and the secretions were highly colored and scalding in passage. I used Doan's Kidney Pills when I was troubled in that way and they never failed to benefit me."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Provow had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Apple cider has now taken a jump and is selling at \$2.00 a gallon but in some instances \$1.50 a gallon. It has been selling from fifty to sixty cents a gallon during the summer. Just why this beverage should take such a leap is not plain unless because it has become so popular since the first of July.

Cairo is making preparations to make the poultry show of the Ill-Mo-Ky Poultry Association a success. It will be held the week of November 19-23.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank each and every one who so generously contributed to our box supper at Beech Grove school, last Friday night, given in behalf of the Orphans Home at Louisville. Especially do we thank the auctioneer, Henry Pollock.—Mrs. Thos. Bondurant and pupils.

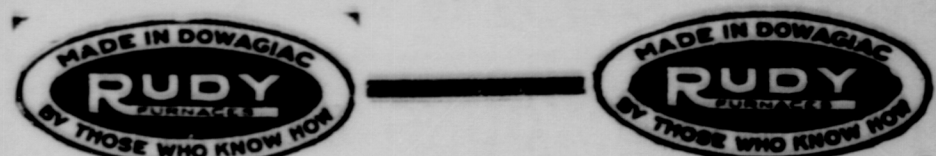
No time or sympathy should be wasted upon those parents of Mercer county who refuse to have their children vaccinated against smallpox in accordance with the orders of the County Board of Health. If this vaccination were in the form of an experiment, the effect of which upon the health of the children were unknown or doubtful, the situation would be entirely different, but as the matter now stands there is no excuse for the recalcitrancy that would keep the health of all the children of the county in risk. The news from Harrodsburg say the objectors to the vaccination order have received much mail and many commendations from all points. So much the worse for those who commend such action. The merits of vaccination against smallpox have been established through a long course of practice, and vaccination or inoculation against many other diseases has been taken up of late years with marked success. Smallpox is widely prevalent in several sections of Kentucky. The Statutes requires every citizen of this state and every child to be vaccinated. Smallpox then, is a sign of lack of intelligence and of failure to obey the law. Besides this, it is foolish because it is the simplest and surest means of protection against this loathsome and troublesome disease.

Henry Ford has invented a gasoline street car equipped with a special internal combustion engine, with which he expects to revolutionize street railway and interurban transportation. The car can make 70 miles an hour. Its public test will be made in about a month.

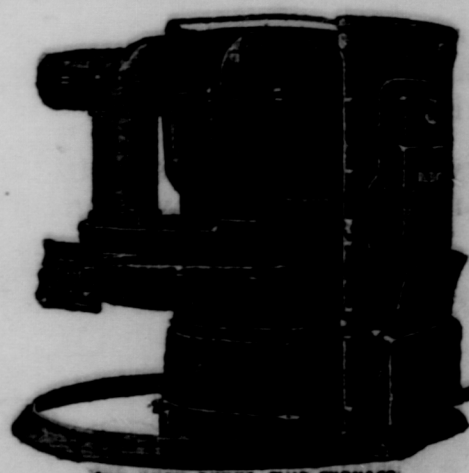
Three car loads of sunflower seed were shipped from East Prairie last week. Luther Lee, James Upton and S. A. Coburn each shipping a car. There were 90,000 pounds of seed in the three cars, which at 8 cents per pound totalled \$7,200.00.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.



We've Got 'Em--You Want 'Em



THE RUDY DIVING FLUE PUMP

Hickman Tin & Plumbing Co.
DISTRIBUTORS

GREAT EVANGELIST

Rev. Guice Will Open Campaign Here Sunday, Oct. 26th.

A revival campaign will open at the First Methodist Church, in Hickman, Sunday, Oct. 26th, at 11:00 a. m.

The evangelist is Rev. C. Norman Guice, one of the general evangelists of the M. E. Church South.

A member of the First Methodist Church at Jackson, Tenn., where Evangelist Guice has been in a meeting the past two weeks, writes to a Hickman friend:

"Bro. Guice is the best evangelist we have ever had. Immense congregations hear him at every service."

A personal invitation is hereby extended to every individual in Hickman and surrounding country.—R. C. Douglass, Pastor.

SITUATION IS BETTER.

The whooping cough and mumps situation is much improved. The continued co-operation of the parents will enable us to keep our schools open. Therefore all parents are requested to call their family physician when their children show the least evidence of any communicable disease or report to Dr. Phelps, County Health Officer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

I am going to appeal to the members and friends in behalf of the Sunday School. It almost seems out of place for me to make this appeal for every member of the church is morally obligated to attend the Bible school, for it is the church school, and only real illness should detain you. The school meets at 10 a. m. and we expect you to attend and take part.

The preaching services will be at 11 a. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Calling out of the Cloud." The 75 million campaign is an assured success from all indications, and new fields of missions will be entered and a greatly increased force of missionaries will be needed. Consecrate your sons and daughters to this work.

There will be no evening service.

Rev. H. M. Crain, Pastor.

John Stotts is very ill at his home in Mengel lane with typhoid pneumonia, his wife also having been ill for some time. This family has had different members of the family sick since early in the summer.

SHELTON-NEWTON

Popular Cayce Boy and Pretty Tenn. Girl Married Saturday.

A wedding that came rather in the nature of a surprise to his many friends here was that of Roy P. Shelton, formerly of Cayce, and Miss Lucille Newton, of Jackson, Tenn., the happy event being consummated Saturday, at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the First Methodist church of Jackson.

The wedding occurred at 11 o'clock, after which a sumptuous dinner was served the party, composed of immediate members of the family. After dinner the happy pair left for Memphis, their future home.

Roy is one of Fulton county's finest young men. Only a short time ago he returned from Porto Rico, where he was stationed as radio operator in the service of Uncle Sam. Receiving his discharge, he returned to the "States," and again took up his position with the I. C. Ry. Co. in the department of maintenance of telephone and telegraph. He is a son of Mrs. R. A. Fields.

The bride is one of Jackson's most popular young women. This couple have the sincere good wishes of a host of Shelton's Fulton county friends.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Bible school promptly at 10 o'clock followed by communion and sermon.

The International Convention of the Disciples of Christ which closed Monday at Cincinnati was largely attended. There were about six thousand representatives from every part of the United States, Canada, Mexico, China, Japan, Tibet, Africa, and many other old-world countries. Such an interest was manifested in the importance of questions considered that sessions were continued hours after time for dismissal.

I shall mention of some of these things Sunday morning. Let us all make a special effort to show our interest in our religious affairs generally, and especially these teaching and preaching services by our presence and hearty cooperation.

E. L. Miley, Pastor.

Harry Taylor, of St. Louis, was here Wednesday.

BOX SUPPER

Stubbs' School Will Give Benefit Affair Friday Night, Oct. 31.

There will be a Box Supper at Stubbs' schoolhouse, Friday night, Oct. 31. The most popular girl will receive a box of nice candy. Everybody is invited and the proceeds go to further equip the school library.

HALLOWEEN PARTY.

The pupils of the Hickman High School will give a Halloween party on the evening of the 31st, and issue the following worded invitation to the public:

On Halloween, when dogs do growl and cats meow and bushes howl—You're asked to join in the masquerade. The place Elks hall, the hour is eight. So mount your broom and don't be late.

The party is given for the benefit of the high school and the nominal admission of 25c will be charged.

WILL PREACH HERE SUNDAY.

Eld. K. M. Myatt, of Clinton, will preach at the court house in Hickman Saturday evening and Sunday morning and Sunday evening. The public has a cordial invitation to come out and hear him.

At the time the Court House was erected there was not taken into account office for the County Engineer. Since this is a permanent thing for this county, a room for him is being arranged at the Court House. The room south of Judge E. J. Stahl's office, designated as County Court Room, is being made into two offices, one of to be used by the County Road Engineer and the other to be used as a private office for the County Judge. County Court is held upstairs in the Circuit Court room.

Mrs. Andrella Reeves, of Dyersburg, member of the Private Robert Tyler Chapter, United Daughters of Confederacy, this city, will represent the local chapter at the National Convention of U. D. C., to be held at Tampa, Fla., in November. She was delegate from this chapter to the State Convention held at Paducah last month, at which time she was elected State Recording Secretary.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Oysters and celery—Mooney's.

T. M. French went to Louisville Tuesday.

Mrs. J. R. Brooks was in Union City Monday.

F. Baron, of Louisville, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Spradlin was in Union City Monday.

S. M. Naifeh went to St. Louis Tuesday on business.

Men's black hose, 2 pair for 25 cents at Sullivan Bros.

Chester Barnes was in Charleston, last week on business.

Hear the Majestic classy orchestra Monday night, Oct. 27th.

Heavy blue work shirts, none better, price \$1, at Sullivan Bros.

Mrs. F. F. Gallimore visited relatives near Paris, Tenn., last week.

Ray Hamby is able to be out after serious illness caused by tetanus.

Lawrence Coombes returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Cairo, Ill.

The last and best event of the season Majestic Elks Excursion Monday night, Oct. 27th.

Roy Thompson left Monday for Fort Worth, Texas, where he has accepted a position.

Majestic capacity twenty-five hundred passengers. All steel and non-sinkable.

Capt. L. McMakin came down from Paducah Saturday, returning Sunday afternoon.

C. T. Bondurant returned Tuesday from Fort Worth, Texas, where he went on business.

Mrs. F. G. Gibson, of St. Louis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. R. Hunziker, this week.

See the five thousand electric lights on the beautiful Str. Majestic, Monday night Oct. 27th.

Col. C. L. Walker went to Louisville Monday night on business with the Mengel Box Company.

Mrs. Jess Nichols has returned to Bardwell after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Stembirge.

Don't forget the Elks Moonlight Excursion on the beautiful Str. Majestic Monday night Oct. 27th.

Mrs. Paul Porter and little son, of Jackson, Tenn., are the guests of her mother Mrs. Mary Barber.

Mrs. Maggie Randle, of Fulton, spent the first of the week here with her son, F. T. Randle and family.

Last Moonlight Excursion of the season on the beautiful Str. Majestic, on Monday evening, Oct. 27th.

You will miss a great treat if you fail to go on the Elks Majestic Excursion Monday evening, Oct. 27th.

The real excursion of the season on the beautiful Str. Majestic under the auspices of the Hickman lodge of Elks.

Hear the Majestic "Jazz" Band, the steam calliope and organophone on Elks Majestic Excursion, Monday night, Oct. 27th.

Men, we have the wool, wool mixed and cotton underwear all heavy, made right, price \$1.50 to \$4.00 per suit—Sullivan Bros.

This is your last opportunity of the season to go on a moonlight excursion, Monday night, Oct. 27th, on the beautiful Str. Majestic.

Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$600 a year. Have a street from the east to the west and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

Will have a large supply of Paper White Narcissus bulbs on hand by the end of the week. Price 65c per dozen.—Frankie Reid.

HIGHEST COTTON PRICE.

Middling cotton at Memphis was quoted officially at 38 cents a pound Tuesday. That price is the highest quotation for middling cotton ever posted by the Memphis Cotton Exchange.

Some of the extra good grades have sold as high as 65 cents during the past week.

Daily Thought.

I will be as harsh as truth and as uncompromising as justice.—William Lloyd Garrison.

Boys, they are all lined pants, waist line models, heavy, guaranteed all wool. Prices \$6 to \$12.50 at Sullivan Bros.

Prevents Cracking.

When pouring boiling milk or water in a tumbler or glass dish stand the tumbler or glass on a knife and the glass will neither break or crack.

What! an 18-inch White Boot wing tip, as near water proof as leather can be made, price \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Rubber n Auto tires. The American automobile public calls for 60,000 tons of India rubber for the manufacture of its tires each year.

D. B. Wilson spent the week-end in Memphis.

NEW MEAT SLICER

We have this week installed the very latest meat slicing machine. Order your bacon sliced. It is much cheaper in the long run.

New Turnips, Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Cabbage, Celery, Cranberries, Green Peppers.

Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes, Grape Fruit, this week.

Pancake weather is here and "Aunt Jemima" gives satisfaction as no other Pancake flour.

FRESH CANDIES, CAKES AND CRACKERS.

Exclusive agents for Gilister's Best Flour.

REID BROS.

BOTH PHONES

WE DELIVER

SUITS FILED

Court Since Last Report. New Cases Filed in Fulton Circuit.

J. C. Lawson vs. C. L. Varden and E. P. Hughes. Suit on note, dated Oct. 15, 1916, for \$327.

O. L. Bartlett vs. R. R. Rogers. Breach of contract. Plaintiff claims he contracted with Mr. Rogers for 100,000 feet of elm logs and that he failed to deliver the goods. That he also advanced him \$250. By reason of his failure to get out and deliver the logs, the plaintiff says he lost a profit of about \$10 per thousand, and prays for a judgment of \$1,000 and the recovery of his \$250.

S. F. Barkett vs. W. H. Williams. Attachment proceedings to recover \$100 and costs.

Jas. P. Smith vs. A. B. Barkett. Mr. Smith sues for a balance on account amounting to \$1151.25. Smith is a wholesale merchant of Paducah.

Ellen Marshall vs. J. W. Ward. Plaintiff claims Mr. Ward, in ditching his land, caused the water to run on her farm, damaging corn and cotton crops to the extent of \$25 an acre. She sues for \$2000.

Beatrice Jackson vs. Eli Jackson. Divorce. Plaintiff alleges that the defendant "by force of arms and threats of violence forced her to get into his buggy and go with him to Esq. Shaw, who married them against her will." He then took her to his home and for two days kept her there in terror in his endeavor to deflower her. This marriage occurred Aug. 21, 1919, and the girl was then only 14 years old.

Susan Hillman vs. J. R. Hillman. Divorce. Mr. Hillman states that she came in possession of letters to her husband from another woman "indicating too close intimacy" and files other charges as ground for divorce. They were married in this county, Sept. 20, 1913.

Lena Boaz vs. E. H. Boaz. Divorce. Married in Fulton county, Sept. 25, 1915. Abandonment given as the grounds for action.

Lola C. Clayton vs. Tullie Clayton. Divorce. This couple was married Dec. 29, 1915. She alleges cruel and inhuman treatment, that defendant struck her with his fists, cursed her, etc.

Mrs. D. Jackson vs. Ed Jackson. Divorce. Married in Fulton county 2 1/2 years ago. Defendant deserted her in September, 1917, which she claims as grounds for divorce.

Press Knox vs. Mary Knox. Divorce. Married Aug. 6, 1898. He claims his wife abandoned him in July, 1918. They have six children.

Derrick boat, No. 4, property of the Mengel Box Company, which sank at their plant here some two weeks ago after springing a leak in a storm, was raised this week by the insurance company, Geo. H. Wilson, of Louisville, superintending the work. The boat will be sent to the ways for repairs at an early date.

J. H. MacClay, of Louisville, Ky., was here last week on business with the Mengel Box Company.

An all wool boy's suit the newest pattern. Pants fully lined at \$10 to \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Mrs. A. B. Johnson spent Monday in Union City.

Mrs. Stringer was on the sick list last week.

For fresh oysters and celery go to Mooney's.

LADIES MAY VOTE.

For the first time in the history of the county the ladies will have the opportunity to vote a separate "Democratic Ticket" ballot in the election of Nov. 4th. There is only one name on this ballot—that of Miss Inez Lutten, who is the Democratic nominee and is without opposition for the office of County School Superintendent. Any lady over 21 years old, who has been a resident of the county the necessary length of time, may vote. There is some question about the ladies of the towns of Hickman and Fulton being eligible to vote, as none have registered and that law provides that all voters in either city must hold a registration certificate.

OBITUARY.

In loving remembrance of Kattie Everett.

The Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Everett on Oct. 16th, 1919 and claimed their little daughter, Kattie, age 6 years, 11 months and 19 days. Little Kattie was stricken with flu and pneumonia one year ago and since then had been through a great amount of suffering, having one abscess after another until her little body could stand no more. Everything was done that loving hands could do to aid her suffering, but God knew best and said, "Little spirit come up high", and the little spirit went back to God who gave it.

I would say to mother, Father, sisters and brothers, weep not as those that have no hope for little Kattie is safe in the arms of Jesus to live forever more and there awaiting your coming on Heaven's bright shore.

A precious one from earth is gone, A voice we love is stilled; A place is vacant in that home That never can be filled.

A. Friend.

The Daughters of Confederacy met on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Thompson and despite bad weather, had a very good attendance. Mrs. Maggie Randle, President of this Chapter, came over from Fulton and presided, this being the last meeting before expiration of her term. She has efficiently handled this Chapter for the past two years—two years being the limit of the term of President according to rules of the organization. The members are sorry to see the end of her term. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. C. L. Walker, President; Miss Frankie Reid, First Vice-President; Mrs. T. A. Ledford, Second Vice-President; Miss Light Paris, Secretary; Mrs. H. L. Amberg, Treasurer; Miss Carrie May Reid, Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Registrar and Historian. After the business of the afternoon and election of officers, sandwiches and coffee were enjoyed during the social half hour.

Mrs. L. McMakin and Miss Carrie May Reid left Sunday to attend the Regional Convention of the Red Cross at Lexington, which convened there Monday and Tuesday, spending a few days in Louisville on return.

Jno. Schleicher, of St. Louis, Mo., was here last week on business with the Mengel Box Company.

Boys, see our line of suits, all wool, waist line models \$6 to \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Miss Mary Holland, of Paducah, is spending a few weeks here with friends and relatives.

With Colder Weather Coming-- Immediate Preparations Are in Order at Dobson's

When a Woman Pays from \$45.00 to \$75.00 for a Suit

she has a right to expect the fabrics to be fine and durable, and the linings to be of a good grade of silk or satin.

Dobson's Suits at these prices have these qualifications and further, the style and tailoring have not been slighted to accomplish it.

Both plain and fur trimmed models in all the new shades.

Speaking of Coats

These suggest refined elegance, with their snug collars of rich, luxurious fur, or if you prefer, there are others having collars of self material.

Style expressions that almost exhaust every conceivable development, swagger flare, ripple back models, modish semi-fitting, tucked yoke models or wonderful straight line and belted models.

\$15.00 to \$85.00

YOU YOUNG LADIES

WHO KNOW SNAPPY CLOTHES WHEN YOU SEE 'EM

will sure be keen on the new Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Skirts, Millinery and Furs we've gathered for you this Fall.

Every lady who comes in to "look 'em over" this year pronounces them "wonderful stuff."

Now let's hear from you, too, if you don't happen to be one of 'em who has already been here.



Dobson's
THE POPULAR PRICE STORE

SUGAR SITUATION

Wholesaler in Letter to Retailer Gives an Opinion.

The following letter from a Calro wholesaler to a Hickman merchant gives a fairly good explanation of the sugar situation. It was not written for publication, and is, therefore, the better as an explanation of the present shortage. Here it is:

"What is the cause of the present sugar situation? This is the question that is being freely asked these days. There are various answers given, some that are erroneous and some that bear truth. Is it because the United States is shipping it to Europe? No, absolutely not. We are exporting no sugar except that owned by the Royal Commission which was refined in this country out of raw sugar owned by the Commission. Is there a shortage of raw sugar? No. There is a shortage in the Louisiana Cane but this plays a very small part in the raw sugar situation. Of course we all know there is a shortage of European beet but this never comes to this country. That gap however has to be filled by the world supply. Most of the sugar refined and consumed in this country comes from Cuba. The United States Equalization Board purchased last year's crop of Cuban sugar and named a price on it to refiners and jobbers. This lot of sugar is practically exhausted. This board has decided not to purchase the new crop. The Cuban crop is larger than last year. The beet sugar crop in this country is larger than last year. Then why the scarcity? There are several reasons:

"1. We are at that season when the old crop is about exhausted and the new crop is just beginning to move.

"2. The shipping strike materially curtailed shipments of raw sugar from Cuba and other producing countries to the United States which caused refiners to run short.

"3. There has been a great increase in the consumption of sugar this year over any previous one. The figures of the United States Equalization Board show that for the current year there has been an increase in consumption of three hundred twenty six thousand tons over the corresponding period last year.

"It will take a few months before conditions become normal. You can assist materially by advising your customers to discontinue buying in large quantities. Stop hoarding.

"We look for no permanent relief soon, especially not before January 1."

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky.
W. J. McMurry, Admr. Plaintiff,
Against
A. S. Barkett, et als, Defendant.
(Equity)

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the September term thereof, 1919, in the above cause, for the purpose of paying the debts of the estate of George T. Welsh, deceased, and for a division of the remainder among heirs with interest at the rate of — per cent, per annum from the — day of — 191— until paid, and — costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on the 10th day of Nov. 1919 at 2 o'clock p. m. or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

The north 66 feet of Lots No. 248 and 249, as the same are shown, known and designated upon the plan or map of West Hickman, in Fulton County, Kentucky.

Also the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning 60 feet south of the north west corner of Lot No. 248 thence east 66 feet or to the line between Lots Nos. 248 and 249 thence south 52 feet, thence west 66 feet to the west line of Lot No. 248, thence north 52 feet to the beginning, said Lot No. 248 is shown upon the map or chart of West Hickman, Fulton County, Kentucky.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

W. B. Amberg, Commissioner.

Ed Townsend, of Baltzer, Miss., is expected next week to visit his parents, J. A. Townsend and wife, and hunt ducks on the lake.

Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$600 a year. Have a street from the east to the west, and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

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N. R. Holcombe, of Greenville, Miss., will arrive next week to visit his mother, Mrs. C. A. Holcombe.

Miss Pauline Shaw will leave this week to visit her sister, Mrs. Ed Townsend, of Baltzer, Miss.

Oyster supper in the basement of the Christian Church Friday evening, 6:00 o'clock.

Pure Catawba grape (white) juice at Bondurant Bros.

Fresh sausage Tuesday and Friday.—Bettendorff.

Mooney has fresh oysters and celery.

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"A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE."



Where else will you find such large assortments of Standard Merchandise and such GOOD VALUES

Women's New Fall Suits
Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Etc.

Women's Smart Suits

IN A FINE COLLECTION

in tailored and semi-tailored styles.

Made in serge, broadcloth, velour, gabardine, tricotine, in brown, navy and black. They are all priced much less than we could replace them for today.

The price range is from

\$25.00 to 97.50

Fashionable Winter Coats

Smart Autumn and Winter Coats, developed in Velours, Polo cloth, Tinseltone, Silver-tone, Velour, Broadcloth, in attractive and correct models. Belted, semi-belted and loose flare styles are shown with set-in and Raglan sleeves.

The prices range from

\$25.00 to 98.50

Dresses

IN THE LATEST FASHIONS

Not only are these frocks stylish, but they are "correct" for the wearer and the occasion. Such claim is made for this assemblage of garments of satin, tricotine, tricolette, Paulette, Jersey and Serge. Long lines predominate.

Prices range from

\$19.75 to \$65

New Separate Skirts

FOR WINTER WEAR

A variety of skirts in many pretty models are now ready for your selection. They embody all that's new in style, trimming and fabrics.

Prices

\$6.50 to \$19.75

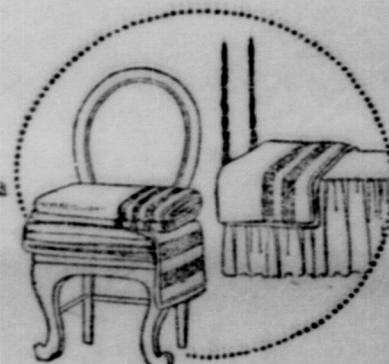
WEAREWELL BLANKETS

In buying blankets, every woman realizes that it is the best economy to secure high quality, for cheap blankets are dear at any price.

Those who know good blankets will instantly recognize the excellent qualities of Wearwell Blankets. No mistake will be made in choosing these fine blankets for they are the choice of careful shoppers always.

Cotton Blankets in a wide range of qualities and sizes. \$3.50 to \$6.00

Wool and wool finish blankets, plain colors and plaids. \$6.75 to \$14.00



This is Underwear Weather

We have complete lines of the famous "Munsingwear" Union Suits for men, women and children.

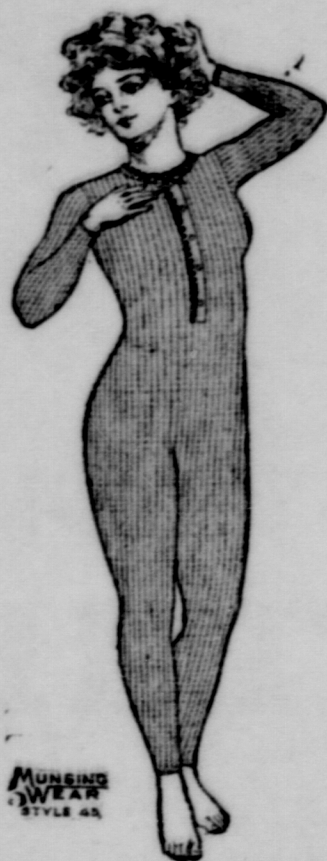
Munsing Union Suits stand at the front of the ranks of knit underwear. They are without a rival. That is because Munsingwear is made of the finest yarns with utmost care and are absolutely perfect in fit and finish.

Munsing Union Suits come in light, medium and heavy weights, and in all sizes. If you want quality, comfort and satisfaction, buy Munsingwear.

MEN'S UNION SUITS \$2.00 to \$5.00

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS \$1.50 to \$3.50

CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS \$1.00 to \$2.00



Woolen Dress Goods

Complete lines of the fashionable Fall Wool fabrics in an abundant showing of the latest colors.

French Serge, in all shades, Storm Serge, Ottoman, Henrietta, Velour, Skirtings, Poplins, Gabardines, Broadcloths. Prices from

\$1.00 to 5.00 per yard

Cotton Dress Fabrics

The most complete showing you'll find in this vicinity, prices much lower than they could be sold if bought now.

Percales, Ginghams, Repps, Galatea, Suitings, Madras, etc. Prices

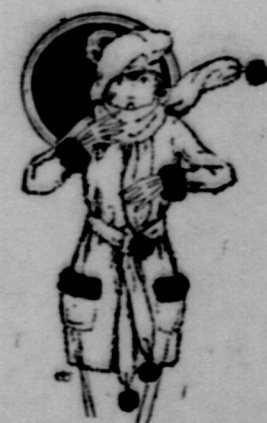
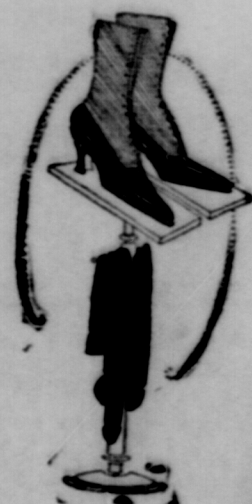
30c to 75c

Women's and Children's Shoes at Sacrifice Prices

You know how high shoes are, and they are going higher; so you may wonder why we are offering good shoes at such reduced prices. Our only reason is that we want to clean our stock of all broken lots and styles that are just a little old. These shoes are all high grade materials, much better than can be bought now for double the price, and this sale coming at this time will be a great opportunity for many people to save more than half on their winter footwear.

Women's Shoes, worth \$3.50 to \$8.00, at \$1.25 to \$3.50

Children's Shoes, worth \$2.00 to \$6.00, at \$1.00 to \$3.50



STYLISH SWEATERS

For comfort and attractiveness there is nothing more useful for general wear than a sweater.

We offer a pleasing assortment in a variety of colors and styles.

Women's \$3.50 to \$15.00
Children's \$1.50 to \$4.00

It's Fuel that's Expensive—Not the Stove

A Cheap, putty-jointed stove will waste more than its Original Cost in Fuel every winter.

As you know, fully one-half the carbon available for heat in soft coal is gas—the entire gas supply used for fuel and illumination in many cities and towns being made from common soft coal. The ordinary stove in burning soft coal allows this gas-half of the fuel to pass up the chimney unburned, thus wasting it as a heat producer.

Cole's Original Hot Blast Stove, by means of the patented Hot Blast draft and other patented features, making air-tight joints without the use of stove putty, distills this gas from the upper surface of the coal, utilizing it as a heat producer along with the fixed carbon or coke in the coal, thus burning all the coal. This is why

Cole's Original Hot Blast

Saves the Dollars and makes a ton of common \$3.00 soft coal or lignite do the work of \$9.00 worth of hard coal.

Your old stove and imitation Hot Blast are not air-tight, do not save the escaping gases and do not give you a warm house at night, because they are made with putty joints. You cannot afford to say to yourself, "My old stove will have to do this winter." The old stove is eating up the price of a new stove every year. Not only that, but on top of the cost is the unsatisfactory result it gives. It is always out the coldest morning.

Even Heat Day and Night—Fire Never Out

Cole's Hot Blast is so perfect in construction that fire will keep all night, and when the draft is opened in the morning will burn two or three hours with the fuel put in the night before. No other stove does this. Fire, therefore, never goes out, and the rooms are kept at an even temperature all the time. Burns hard coal, soft coal, slack, lignite or wood.

OUR GUARANTEE

- 1.—We guarantee a saving of one-third in fuel over any lower draft stove of the same size, with soft coal or slack.
- 2.—We guarantee Cole's Hot Blast to use less hard coal for heating a given space than any base burner made with same heating surface.
- 3.—We guarantee that the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning, with the soft coal or hard coal put in the stove the evening before.
- 4.—We guarantee that the stove will hold fire with soft coal 24 hours without attention.
- 5.—We guarantee a uniform heat day and night, with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.
- 6.—We guarantee every stove to remain absolutely air-tight as long as used.
- 7.—We guarantee the feed door to be smoke and dust proof.

For Hard Coal — Saves Half

The extent of unburned gases in hard coal is shown by opening the magazine cover of a base burner when the extra oxygen supplied fills the entire stove with flaming gas.

The fact that no stove putty is used to make air-tight joints, gives you perfect control over the drafts on Cole's Hot Blast. The slow, economical combustion, and the large, positive radiating surface make it the greatest fuel-saving, hard coal stove made.

Would You Lose \$50.00 in Fuel to Save \$1.00 on the Cost of Your Stove?

That is what you do when you buy a cheaply constructed, putty jointed, showy made imitation stove. Like all successful inventions, Cole's Original Hot Blast has many inferior imitations, avoid them. They all lack the patented features and careful construction, which make the Original Hot Blast a great success. They do not stay tight, and soon open seams and cracks which render them worthless as fire keepers. See the name "Cole's Hot Blast from Chicago" on the feed door. None genuine without it.

COLD WINTER

Is Here and You Want a

Cole's Hot Blast Heater

To Make Your Home Feel Like

SUMMER TIME

Our line of all kinds of cooking and heating stoves is the best. Get ready for winter by calling at once and selecting a good one and let us install it in your home.



Hickman Hardware Co.

INCORPORATED

PLAN ACTION

War on Profiteering Will Start in a Few Days.

Armed for the first time with a newly-enacted Federal law providing severe penalties, including prison terms, the Federal high cost of living Commission of Kentucky, an adjunct of the Department of Justice, met at Louisville, Monday, to consider its course of action in view of the enactment of the Lever food bill.

This campaign is to effect the entire state. Their first act will be to look into any cases where sugar has been sold in excess of 11¢ a pound, the price fixed by the government. Flour prices come next and on down the line. Clothing prices are also to be investigated.

All country chairmen will be asked to make reports on prices charged by merchants in their respective counties.

Material for many cases had already been submitted, and prosecutions will begin as soon as a copy of the new law is received by the Commission.

HOGS DECLINE

Prices Take Big Tumble Monday, \$1.75 Under Last Week.

Prices of pork on the hoof were given another big slash Monday. A 75-cent reduction of the quoted price of the best hogs took the market for that grade to the lowest level since February, 1917.

The top price Monday was \$13.25, or \$1.75 below the quotations of a week ago, and a total reduction of \$9.75 under the prices of last July.

If the farmer must stand this big drop, it looks like the "ultimate consumer" ought to get a reduction on bacon and lard of at least 2 cents a pound.

Roy McNeill, of Hickman, had a load of hogs on the St. Louis market, Monday, we understand was caught for a goodly sum as a result of the break.

ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

J. F. Royster, of Fulton, spent Sunday night with his brother, J. L. Atwill and family.—W. J. Fields and wife were in Union City Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Greer of Sikeston, Mo., and Mrs. James Roper visited Mrs. Dan Davis Friday.—Mrs. John Varden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Davis, of near Ebenezer church, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bransford Sunday.—Miss Allie Thomas, of Cayce, spent Monday night with Mrs. J. P. Thomas.—The following young ladies visited Miss Lucille Roper at the home of her grandmother Sunday afternoon: Misses Melba Holley and Myra Belle Carr, of Cayce; Ruth Rankin, of Hickman; Virginia, Louise and Frances French, of near Hickman; and Hazel Fields.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roper, of Hickman, visited her mother, Mrs. Fannie Henry, Sunday.—Drew Leip and family visited his mother and sister at Jordan, Sunday.—Misses Lucille Roper and Virginia French, of Hickman, spent Saturday night with Lucille's grandmother, Mrs. Fanny Henry.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seay entertained Sunday in honor of Mrs. Seay's nephew, Roy H. Thomas, and bride. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Thomas, of North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and Misses Annie and Allie Thomas, of Cayce; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thomas and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Royster and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Leet and family.—Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Holly and daughter and Miss Myra Belle Carr, of Cayce, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. French and children, of near Hickman, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fields and daughter Sunday.—While playing with another little boy at school Friday, Edward Sloan had the misfortune to get his right arm very painfully hurt. Dr. C. A. Wright was called to dress his arm.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scott are improving from their illness, but are yet not able to be out.

Rains the first of the week not only stopped cotton picking but has damaged the lint to considerable extent by discoloration. Very little picking was done last week on account of rain and some clear, open weather will be welcome.

—Messrs. R. B. Johnson, W. A. Johnson, Dee McNeill, Misses Bertie May Rice, Mena Diestlebrink, Esther Bartlett and Homer Green spent Friday in Union City.

Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$800 a year. Have a street from the east to the west and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and wife, of Raleigh, N. C., and Ray Thomas and wife, of Cayce spent Sunday with J. J. Seay and wife.

See the mirror dreamland dance cabin on the beautiful Str. Majestic. Monday night, Oct. 27th.

Don't miss the last Moonlight excursion on beautiful Str. Majestic Monday Oct. 27th.

Boys, see our line of suits, all wool, waist line models \$6 to \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Men's real army shirts, all wool, none better, \$4.50 at Sullivan Bros.

Men's all wool socks, heavy, none better, price 50 cents at Sullivan Bros.

Master Leland Johnston and Charles Travis spent the week-end in Memphis.

Percy Jones is spending a few days this week in St. Louis.

Miss Effie Bruer has purchased a Ford coupe.

F. M. Symons spent Sunday in Union City.

For Ladies

For Gentlemen

FROST'S SCAFE



WE have the most complete Short Order Menu in the city

Home Boiled Ham 80c per pound

Oranges, Apples, Grapes
Lemons, Pears, Grape Fruit
Celery, Honey Dew Melons

Regular Dinner . 40c

TO QUIT BUSINESS

Leibovitz Will Become Member of New Manufacturing Concern.

With an ambition to do greater things in a commercial way, myself and together with my brothers who are now and have for several years been connected with a large clothing manufacturer, have decided to enter into the pants manufacturing business during the coming year. In order that I may realize my aim, and that we may be able to begin our plans for the coming year I have decided to retire from the retail business, and wish to announce I shall offer for sale one of the cleanest, most up-to-date, and most profitable exclusive men and boys clothing, shoes, hats, and work goods business that can be found anywhere.

This well known and profitable business was established by myself in a very modest way about eight years ago on practically no capital, and has by the lofty business principles of progress, service, and unselfish conception of sincerity of purpose, and selling only the best products of America's foremost manufacturers, steadily grown in size and popularity until today it is spoken of, and recognized as one of the highest class and most profitable establishments in Western Kentucky and Tennessee.

This business is not being offered for sale on account of not being a paying investment, on the contrary, you will find upon investigation that it has a greater established following, and has made a greater financial stride for the amount of capital invested than any other store in Kentucky or Tennessee.

While I realize that this is one of the very best paying establishments in the country, yet with the knowledge that my brothers have of the manufacturing business, together with their trade following in their respective territories, added by my personal knowledge of the consumers requirements we shall not only have a very formidable organization, but a larger field of operation with unlimited possibilities.

The stock that is being offered consists of clean, high class, dependable, well selected merchandise. No odds or jobs, and bought at prices much lower than present prevailing prices.

The patrons of this store are the best and most pleasant that can be had, and are attracted to this store for a distance of fifty miles. Stock, fixtures, good will and business signature will be sold. The latter, together with the reputation of this store is a house-word for miles around, and this in itself will prove a valuable asset to the purchaser.

This is an unusually golden opportunity for a real progressive person to step into a profitable well established money making business, and secure larger returns on the investment.

If interested, I shall be pleased to furnish any further information desired.

Respectfully yours,
D. P. LEIBOVITZ.

P. S.—I realize that my progress is due first of all to the good will and patronage of my many friends and customers. In order to show in a sub-

stantial way my appreciation for what you have done I shall at an early date inaugurate a sale which in the face of shortening of merchandise, and steadily advancing prices enable you to secure your present and future needs at greatly below present market prices.

The house that gained 500% in its 7th year of existence. Despite some very unfavorable years, each year since opening has shown a substantial increase over the preceding one, this year being no exception.

At the meeting of the Kentucky Grand Lodge Masons at Louisville this week it developed that the Masonic order in Kentucky has had a phenomenal growth. During the past year the Master Masons in Kentucky have increased about 4,000 in number. During the same time the Royal Arch Masons have increased about 1,000 and the Royal and Select Masons have increased by over 500 in number. The increase in membership is larger during the year than ever before during the history of the order.

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Wedding invitations have been received here of Miss Janie Springs to Charles Vineyard, both of Jackson, to be at the home Nov. 12, at 8 o'clock. Miss Mamie Leet of Hickman, is to be in the wedding. Miss Janie Springs is a niece of Mrs. A. H. Leet and attended school here several years ago and will be remembered by many friends. She is now a trained nurse of Jackson.

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Ira Green, who has been working for Bethlehem Steel Works at Sparrows Point, Md., will arrive home Tuesday to visit his sisters, Misses Marie and Hester Green.

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Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$800 a year. Have a street from the east to the west and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

Miss Swan Naylor who was operated on at St. Thomas Hospital at Nashville, arrived Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. C. W. Corlin.

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Moonlight excursion on beautiful Steamer Majestic Monday night Oct. 27th. Given by Elks Lodge.

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Grant Delph and wife, of Nashville, spent Sunday with her parents, Nim Walker and wife.

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Men, young and old, see our line of overcoats; all wool, price \$15 to \$27.50.—Sullivan Bros.

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An all wool boy's suit the newest pattern. Pants fully lined at \$10 to \$12.50.—Sullivan Bros.

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R. H. Betterworth spent Sunday the guest of Miss Mary Strange, of Fulton.

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Rev. Crain and E. C. Rice spent Friday in Woodland Mills.

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Mrs. T. M. French spent the week-end in Louisville.

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Men's shirts \$1.00, and up at Sullivan Bros.

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Oysters and celery—Mooney's.

MULES WANTED!

WE WILL BE IN Hickman, Ky., Oct. 25th SATURDAY

To buy GOOD FAT MULES, 14 hands and up, 4 to 6 years old. Bring in your MULES if you want to sell.

Will Pay Best Market Price

Jones & Campbell

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Paducahian Shoots Woman and Then Commits Suicide.

Following a lovers' quarrel Monday evening at 6:40 o'clock, Ward Brazzell, about 29 years of age, drew a 32 caliber pistol fired three shots at Mrs. Dollie Davis, all of which took effect in the woman's body. He then turned the revolver on himself firing one shot through his heart, dying instantly. The tragedy occurred on the sidewalk in front of the Thompson Transfer Co., and was witnessed by several bystanders.

At present, Mrs. Davis, who is a married woman, having a husband and three children at Brookport, Ill., is lying in a critical condition at the Riverside hospital and is not expected to live. Surgeons at the hospital who extracted the three bullets from her body, state that Mrs. Davis is one of the bravest little women they ever operated on. They say that she appears to be about 27 years of age and is very pretty.

In spite of her serious condition, Mrs. Davis gave a short statement to the attendants at the hospital. She said: "Joe has loved me for several years. I came to Paducah on a business trip and tried to avoid him. He met me on Third street tonight and tried to force his attentions on me. We quarreled and he threatened to kill me if I told him that I loved Mr. Davis. He became angry and drew a pistol. I was going to run away, but he started shooting. That is all I know."

Boys' high top boots, \$3.50 to \$5.00, at Sullivan Bros.

Men, young and old, see our line of overcoats; all wool, price \$15 to \$27.50.—Sullivan Bros.

Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$600 a year. Have a street from the east to the west and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

For Sale: A good, 6-year-old work horse, will sell at a bargain; also a good milk cow, will be fresh in a few days.—J. E. May, Hickman.

One will has been filed for probate since last report. This is the will of Mrs. Annie McDowell. She bequeaths all of her real estate and personal property to her husband, J. B. McDowell. She directs her son Percy McDowell be appointed executor without bond. The will is dated April 22, 1913.

90 REGISTER

Special Registration Tuesday Brings Total in Hickman to 531.

At Tuesday's special registration 90 additional voters of Hickman received certificates which will entitle them to vote in the coming election. They were divided as follows:

East Hickman—Democrats 24; Republicans 14; total 38.
Old Hickman—Democrats 14; Republicans 13; Independents 1; total 28.
West Hickman—Democrats 12; Republicans 11; without any party affiliation 1; total 24.

In the previous registration there were (all parties) 465 in East Hickman; 207 in Old Hickman and 69 in West Hickman making a grand total of 531 registered in the City of Hickman.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Virgil Dotson, et als, plaintiff.
Against Christine Williams and Mrs. Georgia Graves, Defendant. Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the September term thereof, 1919, in the above cause for the purpose of a division of the proceeds of sale among the owners with interest at the rate of... per cent, per annum from the day of... 1919, until paid, and... costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on the 10th day of November 1919 at 2 o'clock p. m. or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

The south half of the northeast quarter of section 21, T. 1, Range 5, west, containing eighty acres, more or less.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. B. Amberg, Commissioner.

Only one marriage license has been issued in Fulton county during the past week. This was to a chocolate colored couple of this county—Robert Nail, age 28, and Mattie Locke, 27.

QUARTERLY COURT

Cases of Interest in Judge Stahl's Court Since Last Report.

This has been a quiet week in Judge Stahl's court, only two cases being up for consideration.

Ernest Mathis, the negro charged with shooting and killing another negro by the name of Jesse Spann on Sept. 3rd, was given a preliminary hearing and placed under a formal charge of "involuntary manslaughter." He will be tried at the January term of circuit court.

Raymond Leitz pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing public worship and paid a fine of \$5 and costs. The offense occurred at Bondurant, in the lower end of the county.

THREKELD—GRIFFIN.

A wedding of much interest to Hickman people was that on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Louis Threkeld, at Hermannville, Miss., when Miss Laverne Threkeld and Mr. Henry Griffin, of Oakton, Ky., were married. The bride was born and reared here and is well known to Hickman people, being a niece of Mrs. S. M. Naifeh, and is a charming young lady. The groom is a resident of Clinton, Ky., but is at the present time cashier of a bank at Oakton, Ky. Immediately after the ceremony they left in the groom's auto for an overland trip from Hermannville to New Orleans, taking train from there for Mobile to visit relatives of Mr. Griffin, and after a few days in Memphis, will be at home at Oakton.

Mrs. Belle Ellis and little granddaughter, Musette Smith, have returned from Hales Point, Tenn., where they have been the past month.

A plat or chart of the Rittenhouse Oil Field, promoted by a local company, has been made a part of the Fulton county records. The plat shows a total of 2051 lots. The field is named from Rittenhouse Slough, near which the tract is located.

The apple crop throughout this section is said to be very inferior this fall, due to a rainy spring. The trees were heavily laden until midsummer when the fruit began falling and that that remained on the trees is not very good. Apples in this section the past week though have been selling for \$2.25 per bushel.



POULTRY

Methods of Handling Hens
Labor-Saving Appliances Are of Value on Poultry Farm—Orchard Furnishes Range.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
In general the simplest methods of handling poultry are best, especially on general farms, where poultry is a side issue, though such farms furnish the bulk of the poultry production. Labor-saving appliances are of value on poultry farms, but are not always practical on general farms. Women and children can do most of the poultry work on a general farm and thereby release the labor of the men for other farm work. On general farms, place the poultry house convenient to the dwelling house in order to save steps.

One house holding from 75 to 150 hens can be used to advantage, allowing the hens free range all the time. An excellent arrangement is to have the house near an orchard, which furnishes a good range for the hens. By allowing free range the hens will pick up all the necessary green feed and will also get a considerable amount of their grain feed. Keep large hoppers containing dry mash before the hens constantly, so that it will be necessary to feed the scratch grains only once or twice daily. Very little more labor is required in caring for a flock containing from 100 to 150 hens than is required for from 30 to 100 hens, provided all the hens are kept in one house and have a large free range.

A separate shed or a room in the laying house can be utilized to advantage for hatching chickens with hens,



Poultry on Range Requires Less Care.

setting as many hens as possible at one time; this saves labor, as it takes only a little while longer to care for a number of setting hens than for one hen. Confine the setting hens to their nests and allow them all to come off at one time daily. An incubator may be used for hatching the eggs and the chicks may be put under hens for brooding, especially early in the season, when it is difficult to get hens to set as early as is desirable to produce early chickens.

Raise the chickens under hens, putting from 15 to 25 chickens with each hen, and confine the hens to small coops placed on a good green sod, or a field of some growing crop whereby the young chickens will have free range on fresh land. A considerable number of hens with broods of chickens can be kept in a limited space where the hens are confined to the coops.

In sections where commercial hatcheries exist the farmer can have his eggs hatched there and thus save the labor of hatching the chicks. These chickens can be reared with hens, or a stove brooder which will cover from 200 to 400 chicks may be used to good advantage, thereby saving labor in feeding and caring for the chicks and still allowing the young chickens free range. By the use of these commercial hatcheries all the chickens can be hatched at one time and the chicks can be brought out early in the spring, at which time it is most profitable to hatch and raise chickens.

WATCH FOR LICE ON CHICKS

Where Pests Are Found Make Application of Small Amount of Lard—Provide Shade.

Watch for head lice on chicks; if found grease the head of each chick with a small amount of lard. Do not use salt with the lard, as often advised. Allow plenty of shade, as the hot sun's rays are often fatal to freshly greased chicks.

PROPER FEEDING IN SUMMER

Not Advisable to Give Too Rich Food During Extremely Hot Days—Not Easily Handled.

It is best not to feed too heavily, or of too rich food, during the extremely hot days which are experienced occasionally in summer because overloaded digestive systems cannot handle the food as well in the extreme heat.

Roofing

"See the Johns-Manville ad. on Asbestos Roofing and Shingles in this week's Saturday Evening Post. We are Johns-Manville dealers in this territory. Read about Asbestos Roofing and Shingles and then come in and see us."

L.N. Gregory

CAYCE NEWS.

Interesting Items by the Courier's Special Correspondent.

Dr. Lowring, of Union City, was called Thursday to see Mr. Rufus Bircham and Dr. Beeler, of Clinton was to see him Saturday night. He is very sick.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas, of Raleigh, N. C. are here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. S. A. Wilkins and other friends and relatives.—Mrs. S. E. Johnson and Mrs. Luby Hargrove are on a visit to Mr. S. A. Johnson at Jonesboro, Ark.—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freeman visited Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright Sunday.—Julian Goens has been real sick but is able to be up again.—Almus Wall was in Hickman Saturday on business.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen have moved to Mrs. Mayes' place.—Miss Blanch Harrison entertained the young people Saturday evening. Everyone reported a splendid time.—Miss Myrtle B. Varden spent Saturday night with Miss Lydia Jones.—Mr. Dickson, of Union City, was here Monday.—Ned Atterberry and Mrs. Clara Carr went to Union City Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cruse spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burnes.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burnes, of Oakton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burnes.—Messrs. Sam and Clyde Linder were here Monday on business.—Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Johnson and Mrs. Luby Hargrove spent Thursday night with Mrs. Millie Bransford at Union City.—Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bondurant and Miss Ora Mayes were in Fulton Saturday shopping.—A public meeting of the boy scouts was held at the Methodist church Sunday night. Rev. W. T. Holly, scout master, gave an interesting talk on scoutcraft.—Mr. Jno. Varden left Sunday to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons at Louisville.—Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Morrow of Tuscaloosa, Ala., spent Sunday with Mr. Jack Burnes. They are also visiting Jim Cruse and family.—Frank Wall visited his sister in Chicago, bringing her home with him and she stayed here about two weeks. He left Wednesday to go back to his work—Civil Engineering—at Cincinnati, Ohio.—Justin Atterberry was in Fulton Saturday.—Miss Durham, district demonstrator, of Paducah, accompanied Miss Orr to her regular appointment at the school Thursday.—The Jordan school boys came over Friday for a game of baseball. They defeated us 10-6.—Ben Davis and family visited Mrs. Joe Nailing and family Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas, Misses Annie and Allie Thonolic Auction, on the 10th day of Nov. of near Hickman.

Ride the all-steel non-sinkable Str. Majestic Monday night Oct. 27th.

MOONLIGHT SCHOOLS.

A moonlight school taught by Miss Shuff and Mrs. Mary Barbour, will begin Monday night, Oct. 27, at 8 o'clock, at Hickman College. All boys and girls over 14 who can not possibly come to the day school together with all men and women who would like a review or more instruction are invited and urged to come and enroll.

The primary reason for having this night school is of course to get the person who for some reason or another has failed to get any education or at most very little, interested enough in himself to take this six weeks' course which will mean more to him than he can now possibly realize, and you people who read this article please appoint yourselves a committee of one to try to get some one of this group of people into this school because the most difficult task in regard to this work is finding out just who these people are and getting them out. Let all men who have workmen under them make inquiry about this and use their influence to get these people out to this school where the teachers are gladly giving their services and more than anxious to aid all those that will give them the chance to do so. Please remember that the person who can not read can not get any appeal or announcement made through the paper but must be talked with personally, so you can readily see what your personal service will mean to the cause. Nor should these people allow the fact of hard work through the day to interfere with their taking advantage of this opportunity, for all these teachers who will give their service gladly, have worked just as hard and in fact harder when you consider the nerve-racking task that is theirs through the day. One of these teachers has 31 little beginning children to work with through the day, another has the difficult problem of the 7th grade, yet they are anxious to be of service to their fellowmen and through them to their town, county and state, and if you people of education have the right kind of civic pride in regard to your community you will take advantage of this opportunity to serve your more unfortunate neighbor, who can not read his paper, his Bible, nor any other important literature that might fall into his hands, nor even write to his nearest loved one, by using your influence to get him into regular attendance at the night school either at Hickman College or the school at West Hickman, which will start Monday night, Oct. 27. This is a state-wide movement and many counties are endeavoring to do all in their power to raise their rank in education by demanding regular day school attendance and interesting grown people in taking advantage of the golden opportunity offered them in these Moonlight schools.

Ora May Layson,
County Illiteracy Agent.

Cannot Praise this Remedy too Highly

THE WAY ONE LADY FEELS AFTER SUFFERING TWO YEARS

Judging from her letter, the misery and wretchedness endured by Mrs. Charlie Taylor, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 144, Dillon, S. C., must have been terrible. No one, after reading her letter, can continue to doubt the great healing power of PE-RU-NA for troubles due to catarrh or catarrhal conditions in any part of the body. Her letter is an inspiration to every sick and suffering man or woman anywhere. Here it is: "I suffered two years with catarrh of the head, stomach and bowels. Tried two of the best doctors, who gave me up. I then took PE-RU-NA and can truthfully say I am well. When I began to use PE-RU-NA, I weighed one hundred pounds. My weight now is one hundred and fifty. I cannot praise PE-RU-NA too highly, for it was a Godsend to me. I got relief from the first half bottle and twelve bottles cured me. I advise all sufferers to take PE-RU-NA."

As an emergency remedy in the home, there is nothing quite the equal of this reliable, time-tried medicine, PE-RU-NA. Thousands place their sole dependence on it for coughs, colds, stomach and bowel trouble, constipation, rheumatism, pains in the back, side and joints and to prevent the grip and Spanish Flu. To keep the blood pure and maintain bodily strength and robustness, take PE-RU-NA. You can buy PE-RU-NA anywhere in either tablet or liquid form.

Vote for J. O. West for Mayor. Save the city \$600 a year. Have a street from the east to the west, and a good, clean town to live in. Adv.

How Mat Cohen Spends Your Money

Facts for the Taxpayers of Kentucky

Mat S. Cohen, Commissioner of Agriculture and Democratic candidate for Secretary of State, employs more people in his department and spends more money than any other three combined departments of the State government. It is very important to the taxpayers, especially the farmers, how this money is spent.

In three years, Cohen's personal traveling expenses, which you taxpayers pay, have piled up to a total of \$4,153.93, an average of \$1,384.44 per year. In 1917 he charged you taxpayers \$50.00 per day for ten days for attending the State Fair in addition to railroad fare and a hotel and taxicab bill of more than \$100.00. Does anybody pay you to visit the State Fair?

Vouchers on file in the Auditor's office at Frankfort show what Cohen has been doing with your money. Below are a few samples of the extravagance of this man Cohen who, four years ago, solemnly promised you taxpayers to spend your money carefully and economically:

VOUCHER NO. 12512—PAID MAY 11, 1916.

Mat S. Cohen—Transportation from Frankfort to Washington and return and berth.....	\$70.95
Hotel—Washington (at New Willard).....	29.10
Meals en route (2) \$2.00; return (3) \$3.00; in Washington (6) \$6.00.....	11.00
Cab 75c; Taxi 90c; Car 20c; Taxi 60c; Taxi 50c; Car 20c; Taxi 70c; Car 40c; Taxi 90c; Car 20c; Taxi 1.00.....	6.55
	\$77.60

VOUCHER NO. 4341—PAID JANUARY 16, 1919.

M. S. Cohen—Mileage Book \$30.00; Berth to Washington \$3.50.....	\$33.50
Hotel at Baltimore.....	17.95
Hotel at Washington and Berth home.....	22.88
Eight Meals at Baltimore \$8; 15 Meals at Washington and in transit.....	23.00
Taxi to and from Depot at Baltimore \$2.00; Telegram 45c.....	2.45
Street Car fare \$2.00; Taxis in Washington 90c, 80c, 90c, 70c, 70c, 80c.....	6.80
Telegram.....	.55
	\$106.93

VOUCHER NO. 13036—PAID JUNE 29, 1917.

Mat S. Cohen—Fare Frankfort to Chicago.....	\$19.20
Pullman.....	2.00
Congress Hotel (Chicago).....	10.10
28 Meals.....	28.00
Taxi—Chicago.....	4.45
Street Cars.....	1.78
Taxi to Train.....	.60
	\$66.13

VOUCHER NO. 1941—PAID SEPT. 22, 1917.

M. S. Cohen—Expense account for September 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, (State Fair) Fare to Louisville and return.....	\$ 3.00
Hotel (Seelbach) Rooms, Meals, Wire, Telephone.....	105.00
Transfer of trunk 70c and 50c.....	1.20
Four Taxi trips at 50 cents each.....	2.00
Per diem, 10 days at \$5.00 per day.....	50.00
	\$161.20

COHEN CHARGES YOU EXTRA FOR DOING HIS JOB

The minute Cohen was elected to office he got the state legislature to raise his salary, but the legal department of the state ruled he could not have it. As Commissioner of Agriculture, Cohen is a member of all the boards in his department and his duty is to attend their meetings regularly as a part of the work for which you taxpayers pay him a salary. But Cohen charged you from \$5.00 to \$10.00 a day for attending meetings of various boards. The total you paid him for this was \$620.00 for 83 days, an average of \$7.44 per day. Easy money for answering "Here" at roll call.

Cohen was paid \$100.00 upon the order of the Veterinary Examiners' Board and it was charged to the Veterinary License Fund. The Attorney General ruled the claim was illegal.

Certain clerks in Cohen's department draw money in addition to their salaries. One was paid \$28.00 a meeting for attending four meetings of the Live Stock Sanitary Board. She draws a regular salary of \$2,100.00 a year which you taxpayers pay. Can you beat it?

Another clerk gets a salary of \$1,200.00 a year and in addition she is paid an extra \$400.00 as clerk of the State Board of Veterinary Examiners. Pretty soft.

WHAT'S IN THE STATE FAIR BOOKS?

On Oct. 6, the Republican State Campaign Committee asked the privilege of having the State Fair Books examined by certified public accountants. Cohen at first consented, but later denied the privilege. When threatened with a law suit, he said he would submit the request to a meeting of the State Board of Agriculture, Oct. 25, a few days before the election.

The books of the State Fair belong to the taxpayers who contribute huge sums of money each year to help keep it going.

Among other items in these books are vouchers showing Mat Cohen's personal expense account. Why does Cohen object to an immediate examination of these books?

YOUR VOTE UNDER THE LOG CABIN WILL HELP RID THE TAXPAYERS OF THIS MAN COHEN AND HIS EXTRAVAGANT SYSTEM

VOTE FOR MORROW

and the Straight Republican Ticket

(Political Advertisement.)

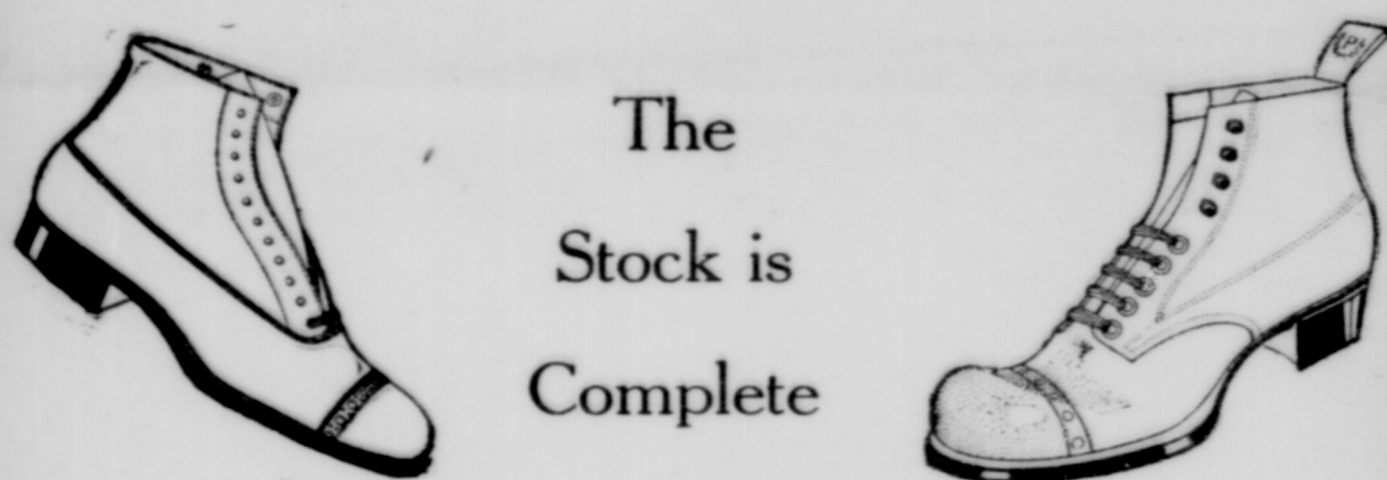


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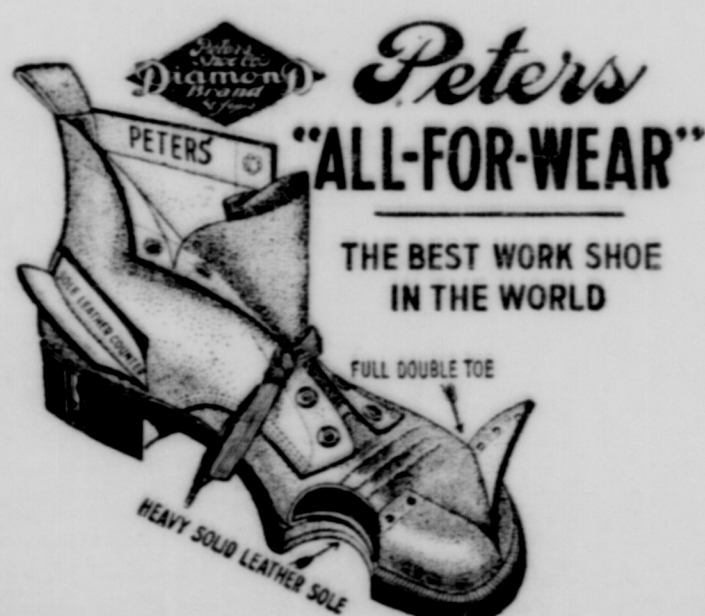


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One Hundred Carloads of Cholera-Free Animals Shipped Annually From South Dakota.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Feeder hogs, perfect as to specification and designed to satisfy the most discriminating purchaser, are exported annually from the Belle Fourche reclamation project, South Dakota. Approximately 100 carloads of cholera-free and alfalfa-raised porkers are shipped each season. The output for the last few years has been purchased by Nebraska farmers who fatten and condition the hogs for the central markets. A special advantage about such shipments is that the animals need not be held in quarantine while vaccinated to satisfy the requirements of interstate shipment, and the purchaser does not have to bear added expenses, such as yardage and feed costs, which he would have to pay if he bought his stock hogs on the central market.

The Belle Fourche project was recently declared free from cholera by



Dakota Farmers Specialize in Feeder Hog Production.

the state live stock sanitary board. The hog growers of that section have decided it is most profitable for them to produce feeder hogs because the high price and limited quantity of corn in their vicinity available for feeding purposes make the fattening of hogs a hazardous undertaking. On the other hand, alfalfa hay is grown in abundance, and the pasture afforded is keenly relished by the hogs. Hence the project farmers are limiting their operations to feeder-hog production.

A co-operative live stock shipping association has been organized on the Belle Fourche project to market the hogs in unique fashion this fall. The plan is to secure carload orders for these hogs so that they may be shipped out in small train loads for delivery to points east of the Missouri river. The idea is to have about fifteen cars of hogs in each train, these cars being loaded at Newell and Nisland on the project and to be carried to destination, without stopping for feed or water, within the 36-hour limit. Information is being promulgated among the prospective buyers along the route regarding the freight rates on a minimum car of feeder hogs so that they can estimate accurately the gross cost of such a load of quality feeders delivered at their destination. The hogs sold during the fall of 1918 ranged from 16 to 21 cents a pound f. o. b. cars, some of the loads being sold above the market quotation and some of them under.

The Belle Fourche plan of marketing feeder hogs should be of interest to other stock raisers and feeders in various sections of the country, illustrating, as it does, a new method of feeder-animal distribution. Handling through a co-operative shipping association directly from the producer to the purchaser makes it certain that the buyer will receive the hogs at his station at a minimum cost for handling in transit. Furthermore, the fact that the animals come from a cholera-free country is positive insurance against losses from that disease, if the hogs are not exposed to infection in transit or subsequent to their delivery at their new homes. Prospects are that in the future many South Dakota farmers in the eastern part of the state who raise considerable corn and make a practice of feeding the grain to hogs will rely to a certain extent on the animals coming from the Belle Fourche project.

KEEP BEEF CALVES GROWING

Ensilage, if Available, is Best and Cheapest Feed When Pastures Have Become Short.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Beef calves on pasture should be kept in a thrifty, growing condition. If the pasture becomes short the cows should be fed, otherwise the development of the calves may be checked. Ensilage, if available, is the cheapest and best feed. Good hay is an excellent supplementary feed, and cows, even on a fairly good pasture, seem to relish a small quantity of dry feed. Soy beans, cow peas, or other pasture crops may be used. If it is not practicable to supply supplementary feeds to the cows the calves should be fed a little grain. This can be done easily by placing a small quantity in a creep in the pasture. A mixture of one-third corn, one-third oats, and one-third bran by weight is a good feed for this purpose.

The First Cough of the Season May Become Serious

A neglected cough may become serious. The first cough of the season should be heeded and prompt treatment provided.

WHITE PINE COUGH SYRUP MENTHOLATED WITH TAR

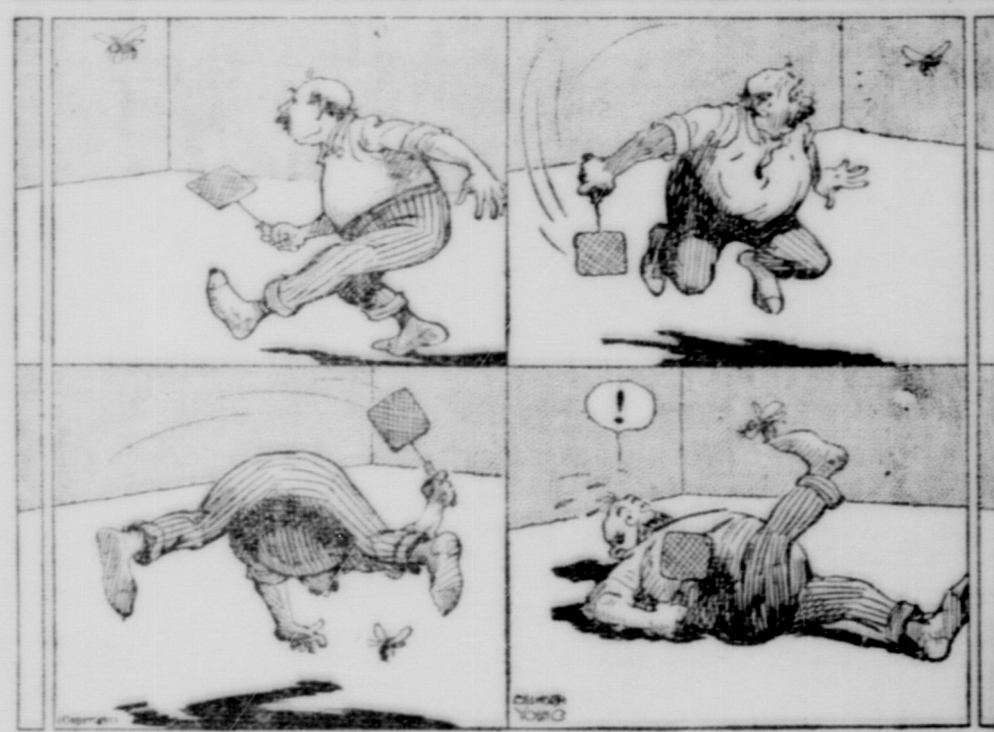
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LEAVE FOR SYRIA.

Frank Barkett, wife and baby, and "Little Frank" Barkett will leave the first of the coming week for Washington to secure passports and from there will go to New York to embark for France; thence to Judidit, Margeone, Syria, to visit relatives whom they have not seen for more than ten years. They expect to be gone about six months. As a matter of fact, they cannot stay longer, as passports are now issued only for that period.

Men, we have the wool, wool mixed and cotton underwear all heavy, none light, price \$1.50 to \$4.00 per suit—Sullivan Bros.

Men's all wool socks, heavy, none better, price 50 cents at Sullivan Bros.

Men's real army shirts, all wool, none better, \$4.50 at Sullivan Bros.

Bob Robertson, of Union City, was here on business Saturday.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Rev. W. F. Renneberg, Rector. — Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity, October 26th. Holy Eucharist 8:00 a. m. Church School 10:00 a. m. Matins and Sermon 11:00 a. m. Evensong and Sermon 7:00 p. m.

Herman Chattman and Miss Pennie Lee Cloys, of near Fulton, were united in marriage at Fulton, Saturday, by Esq. S. A. McDade.

Men, we have the flannel shirts, heavy, all colors. Price \$1.50 to \$4.50—Sullivan Bros.

For Sale—Gentle mare and good buggy, cheap for cash or good note.—P. J. Frenz. 10-30p

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